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VON ARNOLD IS STILL FREE.

Chief of Police Lloyd Has Been Treated Cavalierly and He Is Sitting Down on Detective Lucas.

A DESCRIPTION IS WANTED.

The Fair Heirs Are Said to Be Paying the Expenses.

DIRECT ATTACKS ON DELMAS.

Some Lively Developments Are Expected From the Romance.

There is every indication at present that Detective Von Arnold alias the Baron Von Turkheim will speed unchecked on his Eastern career for although Chief of Police Lloyd says that "measures have been taken to stop him he has not got the heart in his remarks that would be there if he were very confident about the result.

The fact is that Chief Lloyd is a little sore and justly so, about the manner he was treated in the case. When Detective Lucas and Attorney Hutton went to the City Hall yesterday and secured a warrant for Von Arnold's arrest on a charge of bigamy they did not extend to Chief Lloyd the courtesy of calling on him regarding the matter despite the fact that at the time he was seated in his office. Accompanied by Mrs. Von Arnold, who says that as Miss Emma Paul she was married to the jaunty detective at Aurora, Ill., on March 10, 1889, Lucas and Hutton went directly to Police Judge Allen's office and waited there while he sent for Prosecuting Attorney Moore to issue the complaint. The callers were inclined to be very secretive and Lucas was sufficiently "mysterious" to bear out his calling.

Judge Allen who examined the marriage certificate by which Von Arnold and Miss Paul were married says that as far as appearances go, it is genuine enough. The woman too tells her story with every indication of truthfulness. She is rather good-looking, fairly well dressed and about twenty-five years of age. She has been working as a domestic in the Western Addition, San Francisco, and says that her husband deserted her shortly after their arrival on the coast. She, however has suffered in silence and would have continued doing so but for the fact that his recent exploit has torn from her heart the last vestige of the love she bore him. She, therefore, now seeks the revenge of seeing him landed behind the bars of a State penitentiary.

After securing the warrant the whole party left the City Hall without consulting any other of the officials and when later on Captain of Police Fletcher was interviewed as to what steps were being taken to bring Von Arnold back he is reported as having said that the Oakland police department would do nothing in the matter until some one put up the money necessary for the extradition expenses, the point being that the Oakland officials could not act on that score as no financial provision is made for such cases.

CHIEF LLOYD'S DENIAL.

Chief of Police Lloyd this morning, though, denied that such an expression had been made as the official opinion of his department. He was not interviewed on the subject last night and he says that if Captain Fletcher made the statement credited to him it was simply his own individual opinion and the chief would therefore not stand for it.

Of course, such a theory as Fletcher's is perfectly absurd, otherwise any fugitive from justice would be comparatively safe after he once got out of the State. The facts about such matters are that the State pays the expenses of extradition and the local departments are never called on for any money.

The reason Chief Lloyd, though, is not acting to any extent in the matter is because he has not been given any description or photograph of the man wanted.

"I today notified the people who want Von Arnold brought back to California," said the chief, "that I was practically powerless without any grounds of identification to work on. If they had called in my office yesterday I would have obtained a description of him anyhow, and if I could have secured a photograph I could have had fifty copies of it taken for police use. As things are now I have been unable to do very much in the matter."

The chief was not inclined to say just exactly what he had done, but the intimation conveyed was that he had telegraphed on to have Von Arnold watched so that he can be located at any moment.

This espionage, though, will doubtless be conducted anyhow, for it is believed that the Lucas detective agency has a man on the train with the "baron" and his bride and that they will be under surveillance until the case is disposed of.

THE "ANGELS."

The story is afloat that the money and influence being used to bring Von Arnold back to California comes from the Fair heirs. It is said that they desire to bring Von Arnold and Miss Young to California so that Attorney Delmas will be harrassed and an influence thus brought to bear on the Craven case.

If the couple are returned some very sensational developments will undoubtedly ensue. That Detective Lucas and his men are not working without a pretty fat fee in sight is certain and as there is no one in evidence more likely to furnish it than the Fair people that has doubtless caused the foundation of the rumor.

EMBERS CONCEAL CRIME.

Arson Resorted to in Order to Cover the Murder of a Family.

The Reynolds Family of Pascoaga Supposed to Be Obliterated.

PASCOAGA, R. I., April 14.—The house of Edward Reynolds at Oakland, a few miles from here, was burned this morning with all the outbuildings. It is thought that it is a case of murder and arson. Mrs. Reynolds' body, mutilated and bloodstained, was taken from the bed by those who discovered the fire. They found what they believed to be traces of kerosene about the room, but were prevented from making a thorough search of the premises by the heat and smoke. A 20-year old daughter of Reynolds, Reynolds himself and Martin Mowry, who boarded with the family are missing. The buildings were totally destroyed, entailing a loss of about $20,000. At an early hour this morning the ruins had not cooled sufficiently to permit a search among them for the missing persons, but this will be begun as soon as possible.

Martin Mowry, missing from the scene of the Reynolds tragedy, was found hiding in a barn near Harrisonville this forenoon and was placed under arrest on suspicion of having been involved in the affair.

MILLIONS OF BONDS.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, April 14.—The New York Central has arranged for the sale of $100,000,000 of 3½ per cent hundred-year gold bonds and the New York and Harlem for $12,000,000 of the same class of bonds. These bonds will be used to retire or convert the present bonded debt of the companies and thereafter become the first lien on the companies.

The New York Central will reserve $15,000,000 of its bonds for the new construction after 1903.

CONFESSED HIS GUILT.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, April 14.—Jos. Adams, who was sentenced on Monday to three years in Sing Sing for forgery, has confessed having swindled the Columbia Bank of this city out of $680. This is the crime for which Alonzo J. Whiteman of Minnesota, ex-State Senator, was tried and acquitted last week. Adams' resemblance to Whiteman is remarkable.

TAKING THE CENSUS.

The School Enumerators Will Begin Their Work Tomorrow.

The school census enumerators will commence the work of taking the city school census tomorrow. Superintendent McClymonds has been coaching them for a number of days.

Milton S. Hamilton is Census Marshal and the following are his assistants: C. F. Wagner, H. E. Warren, Miss Douglas Whitehead, Bertha Knox, Irene Rutherford, W. H. Richardson, W. C. Harmon, P. H. Felley, Murray Laidlaw, E. J. Osgood, W. H. J. Matthews.

TEN PEOPLE KILLED.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

BERLIN, April 14.—A dispatch from Essen on the Ruhr announces that ten persons were killed today through the explosion of fire-damp in the Oberhausen pit.

Hay Sails for England.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, April 14.—Colonel John Hay, United States Ambassador to the Court of St. James, sailed for England today on the American line steamship St. Paul, accompanied by his wife and eldest daughter.

Ex-Representative Perry Belmont was also among the passengers.

WANT CLEAR WATER.

A Murky Fluid Destroys Clinton Plaza's Fine Fountain.

A PETITION OF THE PEOPLE.

The Service of the Oakland Water Company Sought.

FILLING WEST OAKLAND MARSH

Captain Hackett Secures the Contract for the Work.

At the meeting of the Board of Public Works today an interesting petition, with a view to preserving the architectural beauty of the fountain in Clinton plaza, signed by a number of leading citizens, was introduced.

The petitioners asked that the water of the Oakland Water Company be used in the fountain and run as follows:

"Whereas, The Clinton Plaza fountain is one of the city's most attractive pieces of architectural stonework; and

"Whereas, The said fountain contains ornamental and very rare fishes; and

"Whereas, The water now supplied to said fishes is so cloudy and murky that it obstructs the view of the said architectural stone work and said fishes, thereby detracting from the general attractiveness of the fountain; now therefore we, the undersigned, respectfully petition your honorable body to let the Oakland Water Company supply the said fountain with water, for the reason that the artesian water supplied by the latter company is perfectly transparent and the full effect of the architecture of the fountain can thereby be enjoyed by the public."

The petition was signed by the following residents:

H. W. MARTIN, 352 East Fourteenth street.
GEORGE E. WIARD, 1363 Eighth avenue.
G. N. BAILEY, 402 East Twentieth street.
S. H. WRIGHT, 1427 Eighth avenue.
W. WILCOX, 461 East Fourteenth street.
J. G. LUTH, 1114 Seventh avenue.
CHARLES F. BULL, 60 East Fourteenth street.
H. DAVIS, 672 East Fifteenth street.
J. B. WATSON, 275 East Twelfth street.
MELVIN & CO., 279 East Twelfth street.
E. H. WARREN, 1414 Sixth avenue.
H. W. KELLER, 301 East Twelfth street.
F. H. STEWART, 311 East Twelfth street.
R. D. BAKER JR., 353 East Twenty-second street.
O. C. KIRK, 303 and 305 East Twelfth street.
L. A. STEPHENSON, 325 East Twelfth street.
J. C. TURNER, 317 East Twelfth street.
CHESTER DIXON, 1202 Seventh avenue.
W. S. HASKELL, Dimond.
C. P. KIRK, 931 Fifth avenue.
E. R. LAND, 1059 Eighth avenue.
G. H. MASON, 366 East Fourteenth street.
E. H. ELMORE, 315 East Twelfth street.
D. STEPHENSON, 325 East Twelfth street.
J. V. DA SILVIERA, 317 East Twelfth street.
L. G. LITTLEFIELD, 309 East Twelfth street.

The petition was referred to the committee of the whole.

An application from L. S. Bixby for re-appointment as Assistant Superintendent of Streets was filed.

M. W. Holmes applied for the position of Superintendent of Streets, and his application was filed.

R. E. Andrews' application to be reappointed Assistant Superintendent of Streets was filed.

P. Hussey made application for some sort of street work.

Superintendent of Streets Miller was directed to make a report of the number of men employed in the Street Department since June, 1896.

WEST OAKLAND MARSH.

The Board awarded the contract for filling in the West Oakland marsh to the Pacific Coast Dredging and Reclamation Company, they being the lowest bidders.

S. H. Saleno, representing Mr. Bowers, asked that the matter go over till the next meeting, giving as a reason for making the request that a decision was expected next Monday in regard to the patent dredger which Mr. Bowers claims the sole right to use. A letter from John H. Miller, attorney for Bowers, was also filed, in which Miller claimed that Oakland, by awarding the contract to the Pacific Coast Dredging and Reclamation Company, would become liable with the company for infringement of patent rights.

Captain Hackett, for the company, replied briefly, but to the point.

"The cheek of this thing," said he, "beats anything I ever heard. This is nothing whatever but a blackmailing scheme, which they have been practicing for ten years. We are ready to give a bond to cover whatever liability the city may incur. We use no part of the Bowers patent, and their decision could have no earthly effect on us."

Saleno said it was not a question of $3,500, but a question of principle, and Captain Hackett said it was all humbuggery. It looked for a while as if a quarrel between Captain Hackett and Saleno would ensue, but Mayor Thomas brought things to a head by moving that the resolution awarding the contract to the company be adopted upon the company's giving a $3,500 bond. The motion prevailed.

The following bids were received for removing the fence back of the Contra Costa Laundry: John Geary, $121.75; R. J. Dowling, $150; E. J. Fry and

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VICTORY AND DEFEAT

Varying Stories as Regards the Meeting of Greek and Turk.

AN ULTIMATUM TO GEORGE.

The Insurgents Said to Have Done Some Brave Fighting.

FLED ACROSS THE BORDER.

Situation at the Present Time Complicated by Rumors.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LONDON, April 14.—The Evening News this afternoon published a dispatch from the special correspondent at Athens saying that the Turkish government has formally informed the Greek government that any further raid of irregulars into Turkish territory will be regarded by Turkey as a declaration of war upon the part of Greece.

CAPTURE BALTINO.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

LARISSA, April 14.—Trustworthy reports received here yesterday confirm the statements that the Greek irregulars have captured Baltino, in Macedonia. The Turks lost forty men killed. The insurgent chief Davelis occupied a strong position in the mountains near Krania. His force was later attacked by a Turkish battalion from Velimisti; but the Turks were repulsed with severe loss. The Greeks then assumed the offensive, cut up the Turkish detachment, captured eighteen mules, a convoy of provisions, a large quantity of ammunition and made prisoners of fifteen Turks. After this success, the Greeks advanced to Kipuri on the road to Gravena, threatening to cut the communication of the Turkish Central force at Elassona with Janina, the Turkish headquarters in Albania.

In all their skirmishes and fighting since crossing the frontier, the Greeks lost only five men killed and fifteen men wounded.

Fresh troops continue to arrive here from the south. A third brigade was formed today to assist in the defense of the frontier.

The enthusiasm of the troops is unabated. In Macedonia the weather is wet and cold, but in Thessaly fine weather prevails, permitting military authorities to complete all preparations for the advance into Turkish territory or defend the frontier in the event of the Turks assuming the offensive, which is looked upon here as being more probable.

The dispatches received here today from the Greek expeditionary force say the irregulars have passed Kipur, driving the Turks before them and pushing on for Grevena, where a strong Turkish force, some reports say, of the army corps is stationed.

There are rumors here of a Ministerial change, but there are no signs of relaxation in preparing for war, and there will be a feeling of relief when hostilities commence.

AS FAR AS GREVENA.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

LONDON, April 14.—A special from Salonica, the Turkish base of operations, says that the Greek "irregulars" have succeeded in advancing as far as Grevena and rallying the population to their cause and threatening the communications between the Turkish armies at Elassonia and Janina.

SAID TO BE FAILING.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ATHENS, April 14.—The Greek insurgents, according to dispatches from the front have sustained considerable losses and are retreating before superior forces. While occupying Baltino the Greeks burned most of the houses of that place.

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AN ANGELL IS CHOSEN.

President McKinley Selects a Minister to Turkey.

A MICHIGAN MAN GETS IT.

D. E. Meiklejohn of Nebraska Assistant Secretary of War.

GOOD OFFICES GIVEN OUT.

A Notable Day's Work Is Done at the White House.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—The President today sent the following nominations to the Senate:

James B. Angell of Michigan, to be Minister to Turkey.

George N. West of the District of Columbia, to be Consul at Pictou, Nova Scotia.

D. E. Meiklejohn of Nebraska, to be assistant secretary of War.

Commissioners of the District of Columbia, John B. Wight and John D. Ross.

John D. Cunningham of Idaho, to be assayer of the United States Assay office, Boise City, Idaho.

Seligman Brothers, special fiscal agents of the Navy Department at London, England.

First Lieutenant E. H. Browne, Fourth Infantry to be captain.

Second Lieutenant E. H. Wolfe, Third Infantry, to be First Lieutenant.

Second Lieutenant J. W. Joyce, Fifth Artillery to be First Lieutenant.

Corporal George L. Byroad, First Artillery to be Second Lieutenant.

A TARIFF STRAW.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—An unexpected tariff vote was precipitated in the Senate today by Senator Morrill's motion to refer to the Finance Committee the Vest resolution declaring that the order of Secretary Gage as to the retro-active clause of the tariff was illegal.

A yea and nay vote was taken, and Morrill's motion to refer prevailed; yeas 24, nays 23.

The only Republican vote cast against the motion was that of Chandler, while the Democrats voted solidly against it. They had the assistance of all Silver Republicans and the Populists present, except Mantle, Silver Republican from Montana, who voted with the Straight Republicans. Cannon, Silver Republican, and Butler, Harris of Kansas, Heitfeld, Pettigrew and Turner, Populists, recorded themselves against the motion. Teller and Jones and Stewart of Nevada were absent.

Senator Morgan today in the Senate asked to have the time set for the final vote on his resolution.

Morrill objected and Morgan gave notice that he would call up the resolution daily until the vote was secured.

During the consideration of the Indian appropriation bill which was taken up in the afternoon, Gorman criticised the manner of passing the appropriation bills without properly organized committees. He declared it was in opposition to the caution of President McKinley in his inaugural address that strict economy should be used.

DEMOCRATS DIVIDED.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—The House was in session ten minutes today and then adjourned until Saturday without transacting any business.

The session was long, enough, however, to furnish occasion for the display of the division among the Democratic members which the recent caucus has not been able to heal.

Dearmond of Missouri appeared as the leader of the opposition to the leadership of Bailey.

As soon as the journal had been read Dingley made a motion that when the House adjourned it be until Saturday.

Dearmond and Simpson immediately demanded a division. The vote on the motion was 131 to 38. Bailey and his followers voted with the Republicans while Dearmond and other Democrats and Populists opposed the motion.

TRAFFIC AGREEMENTS.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—Representative Shannon of New York today introduced in the House a bill to amend the anti-trust law so that it will not prevent railroad trafic agreements. Shannon's bill is much less complete than that of Senator Foraker.

To Be Seen Abroad.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—The President today sent a message to Congress urging it to make suitable provision for the adequate representation of the United States at the Paris Exposition.

Off for Easter.

Tomorrow afternoon, about 100 of the pupils of Mills College leave for their Easter vacation, returning next Monday.

FLEE IN THE NIGHT

Terror-Stricken Nebraskans Speeding Before the Missouri.

THE BOTTOMS ALL FLOODED.

Great Damage to Property and Crops of All Kinds.

DANGER AT LEAVENWORTH.

Water Sweeping South With Destruction in Its Wake.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

OMAHA, Neb., April 14.—Up till midnight last night the river held stationary, but after that it began to rise, and at 9 o'clock this morning the gauge at the Florence pumping station showed a rise of eight inches. The wind is blowing strong from the south, and this materially assisted in maintaining the repairs made in the levee along the south bank of Florence Lake. That still holds, but the second stream of water, which runs from the river west of Florence Lake is still pouring into Cut-Off Lake. The bank of the river is holding better than had been expected, but there is still great danger. The Government work boats, which were tied up during winter have been steamed up and sent to the breaks to do what is possible to save the cut-off.

From all along the river north and south of Omaha come reports of flooded bottoms and squatters fleeing in the night from the angry waters. No loss of life is reported.

RISE AT LEAVENWORTH.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

LEAVENWORTH, April 14.—The river has risen a foot since yesterday. At noon it was at 48.8 feet which is higher than at any time since 1891.

When the pontoon bridge went out this morning it carried out a portion of the Rock Island track. The road and the Chicago and Great Western were compelled to use the Burlington tracks.

THE DANGER LINE.

KANSAS CITY, April 14.—A further rise of half a foot has taken place in the Missouri for the twenty-four hours ending at noon today, and Weather Observer Connor says that the danger line will be reached this evening.

FORTY MEN STRUCK.

As a Consequence Seven Hundred People Are Thrown Out of Employment.

CORNWALL, Ont., April 14.—Yesterday morning the Canadian Colored Cotton Company started work after a year of idleness. After a few minutes' work the foreman announced to the speeders that there would be a further cut in the wages. Workmen, thirty or forty in number, refused to accept the cut and left the building. In consequence the mill will be again closed down for an indefinite period, thus throwing 700 or 800 hands out of employment.

FIFTY KILLED.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ELASSONA, Macedonia, April 14.—An officer sent by Edhem Pasha to Krania with instructions to ascertain the exact situation in that vicinity confirms the statement previously made that the Turks have driven the insurgents across the frontier, inflicting a loss of fifty killed.

CAME TO BLOWS.

Disgraceful Scene in the Kentucky Senatorial Contest.

HUNTER LEADER ASSAULTED.

The Combatants Ordered Immediately Under Arrest.

NO SELECTION YET MADE.

Six Ballots Taken but Hunter Seems Too Heavily Weighted.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

FRANKFORT, Ky., April 14.—There were no material changes on the thirty-sixth ballot for United States Senator, which gave Hunter 51 votes, Blackburn 44, Martin 12, Boyle 6 and Stone 1 vote. Necessary to a choice, 63 votes.

There was no motion to adjourn and the thirty-seventh ballot was a copy of the thirty-sixth.

The deputy sheriff arrived at the capitol at 11 o'clock armed with subpoenas for Representative Clarke, one of the anti-Hunter men and a half dozen newspaper correspondents.

All stuck to the first choice on the third ballot for the day.

During the fourth ballot the gold Democrats said that they did not propose adjournment till the Republicans asked for it and the Republicans said they would never ask for it. There was no change in the vote.

During the sixth ballot, Representative Lyons, the Hunter leader went over to Senator Clarke and began to talk to him.

Clarke asked him some questions.

Lyons answered facetiously and Clarke jumped up and started to knock him down.

Lyons jumped back and Clarke was caught by the members around him.

The Lieutenant-Governor called to the sergeant-at-arms, "Arrest those men at once."

Sommers took him at his word, when mutual friends interfered.

The vote showed no change.

ARMOR WANTED ABROAD.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—In view of the very satisfactory tests of the American armor plate heretofore sent to Russia, the Russian Government has asked the Carnegie and Bethlehem Companies to submit proposals for furnishing armor plate for two large battleships.

Chicago Live Stock.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, April 14.—Hogs, light, $3.35@$3.10; mixed, $3.30@$4.10; heavy, $3.70@$4.10; rough, $3.70@$3.80; cattle, beeves, $3.80@5.40; cows and heifers, $2@$4.35; Texas steers, $3.25@$4.40; stockers and feeders, $3.40@$4.40.

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COURT NEWS

A Non-Suit Granted in the Celebrated Frisbie Case.

Close of the Testimony in the Booth Damage Case.

The suit of Sarah Frisbie against Dr. A. F. Card for $10,000 damages claimed for alleged mal-practice, came to an abrupt end before Judge Greene this morning, when he granted a non-suit.

Attorney Moore for the defendant made the motion and supported it by a vigorous argument, in which he claimed sufficient evidence had not been put in by the plaintiff to warrant a verdict from the jury. The question of how the blood poisoning was contracted also came into the case.

ARGUING THE BOOTH CASE.

All the evidence has been put in, in the suit of Frank Booth, against the Oakland Consolidated Railroad, and this morning the final arguments began. Attorney McKee for the plaintiff rehearsed the testimony at length. He was followed by W. H. Chickering for the company. The plaintiffs will conclude their argument this afternoon.

JONES ESTATE.

The inventory and appraisment of the estate of John J. Jones has been filed by J. S. White, A. M. Dunham and J. C. McMullen. It shows the holdings to be worth $68,706.48. This includes $11,140 in cash, $13,800 worth of stock in the Oakland Loan and Investment Company, 500 shares of stock of the California Jute Mill Company, appraised at $400; fifty shares of Piedmont Railroad stock, considerable mining stock, several mortgages and a large amount of real estate.

MUST COME TO COURT.

George Edwin Norris, the young incorrigible, has given the court a great deal of trouble. The question of committing the boy to Whittier came up again before Judge Ellsworth this morning, but the boy was not on hand. He is in the Boys' Training School in San Francisco and efforts to get him in court have failed. Judge Ellsworth issued an order for the youngster and then continued the case until the 16th.

FIVE YEARS IN FOLSOM.

Michael Gormally was this morning sentenced to serve five years in Folsom by Judge Hall. Gormally stole a cow belonging to a man named Riley who lives in Fruitvale. Riley is a carcleaner and the cow was a very important portion of the family goods, for it brought in a monthly revenue. The animal, which was of a valuable breed, was then killed and sold in the free market in the form of steaks. A man named Christianson was also implicated in the deal and he will soon be tried on a similar charge. The two stole and killed many animals before they were discovered. This morning Attorney Aram moved for a new trial on the ground that new evidence had been secured, but this was denied and the prisoner was sentenced.

ALYWARD CASE CLOSED.

The suit of John Alyward against the Livermore Water Company has been formally dismissed. The matter was settled out of court, when W. J. Dingee purchased the interests of the dissenting stockholder.

CHANGE OF VENUE.

In the suit of C. D. Vincent against the town of Palo Alto over the letting of a contract for the construction of water works, a motion has been granted changing the place of trial to Santa Clara County. The defendants have also entered a demurrer on the ground that finding a purchaser for the $40,000 bonds does not appear to be a certainty in the complaint and that no proofs are shown to the effect that the California Bridge and Construction Company was the lowest bidders for the construction of the proposed improvement.

All the documents in the case have been ordered sent to San Jose.

A BIG MORTGAGE.

The Hibernia Savings and Loan Society has sued Linda M. Adams to foreclose a mortgage on property on Broadway and Durant streets, to secure payment for a note of $12,000.

COURT NOTES.

Annie J. Paynter has been given a decree of divorce from Robert R. Paynter on the ground of extreme cruelty.

The case of Sarah Baumgarten against Solomon Baumgarten for a division of the family property has been continued for a week.

In the suit of Sarah R. Yoakum against George G. Baker et al, summons have been ordered published as the defendant is not now residing in this State.

J. H. Henderson and R. P. Greeley filed preferred claims against M. Houart, an insolvent. Henderson's claim is for $200.04, while Greeley's is for $225.

Summons have been issued in the cases of the California Improvement Company against W. E. Frost and Hannah Butler.

A ranch near Decoto has been set aside as a homestead for the surviving family of Joseph Martin, deceased.

In the case of the California Improvement Company against Julius A. Rommel et al., a stipulation has been filed staying proceedings on the decree issued until a motion for a new trial can be made.

The demurrer in the suit of P. T. Virettos against S. Angel et al. has been overruled, and the defendants given ten days in which to answer.

Lyman D. Babb has filed a demurrer to the complaint of William Read, in which he denies that a note for $800, which forms the basis of the suit, has not been settled.

The Golden Gate Baptist Church has petitioned the court to be allowed to mortgage its property for $400. The matter will be taken up on Monday, May 3d.

The demurrer of H. D. Ulrichs et al. in the suit instituted by the Bank of San Leandro has been overruled.

Max Isaacson has filed a claim against H. Schellhaas for $23.50.

The Oakland Bank of Savings has brought suit against Hyrum and Mary Peterson to recover payment on a note for $1,775, secured by property in Berkeley. The town of Berkeley is also joined as a defendant in the case for the property is claimed by the municipality as well as by the defendants.

Richard Graf, defendant in a suit brought by John Gooby, has filed a demurrer to the cross-complaint.

An amended complaint has been filed in the suit of H. L. Reese against Geo. McCahon, to obtain payment of a note for $885.

Robert Bain, defendant in the suit instituted by Tillman & Bendel, has been granted ten days to present a statement asking for a new trial.

The will of Manuel Rodricks has been presented for probate. Manuel R. Rodricks is named as executor. The estate consists of a ranch at San Lorenzo, valued at $2,200 and personal property worth $100.

The family home in Berkeley of the late Matthew Upton, has been set aside as a homestead for the widow.

M. Marks is suing the estate and widow of the late Philip Boogar to recover $3,000 on a promissory note executed by Boogar and also for money advanced prior to the sensational death of Boogar.

The case of Andrew Castamano and Antone Abell, charged with buncoing Nicola Palmieri out of $380, was called before Judge Ogden this afternoon. Both of the men pleaded not guilty and jury trials were demanded.

The suit of the Central Pacific Railroad Company against Joseph Hodgkins et al. has been dismissed.

The default of the defendant has been entered in the suit brought by the California Improvement Company against Hannah Butler.

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AN EX-CLAIMANT WEDS.

Alice D. Blythe Becomes the Bride of J. H. Von Brahmstead.

Alice Edith Dickason Blythe and J. H. Brahmstead were married by Judge Cliff yesterday. The license was procured from Cupid Ewing at the County Clerk's office, late yesterday afternoon. It showed that the groom is 42 years old, while the bride is 40.

"Alice Edith," as she is familiarly known, was one of the contestants for the Blythe millions. She claims to have been married to the dead millionaire, while acting as his housekeeper.

Of late years, she has been addicted to the liquor habit and lately voluntarily placed herself in the Home for Inebriates in San Francisco.

Mr. Brahmstead claims to have royal connections in Europe, but says he has withdrawn his allegiance. He objected to the "von" appearing in the marriage license.

Nuptial Knot Tied.

Judge Fred Cliff tied the nuptial knot between Kate Hart and Charles J. Heisman both of San Francisco, this morning.

Gas Works Attached.

At the instance of the Standard Oil Company, the San Leandro Gas Company's works have been attached today for $130.

DEATH OF A HERO.

Accurate Details of the Passing of Gen. Antonio Ezeta.

WAS MOURNED BY THOUSANDS

The Cause of Death Was a Wound Received in Battle.

FORGAVE ALL HIS ENEMIES

Last Days of the Soldier as Described by His Secretary.

Carlos Urrutia, the private secretary of the late General Antonio Ezeta, arrived in this city yesterday, bringing with him the first authentic accounts of the death and burial of the great San Salvadorean General and patriot.

The account is pathetic, for it tells of sufferings nobly borne and of forgiveness that is divine in its mercifulness.

Don Antonio Ezeta died like the brave gentleman that he was, at peace with his enemies and content to bow to the will of the divine power.

Urrutia is stopping with the ex-President of San Salvador, Carlos Ezeta, at his home on Williams street. General Ezeta is plunged in grief over the loss of his brother and the sorrowful account of his brother's death.

Urrutia's account of General Antonio Ezeta's death differs materially from the garbled reports sent out by the San Salvadorean authorities, who felt that the great General gained in power even when death had laid its chilling hand upon him.

General Antonio Ezeta did not die of Bright's disease. His death resulted from a wound received in the last battle during the insurrection, which gave Rafael R. Gutirrez, the supreme power.

Antonio Ezeta fought nobly during that battle. Struggling against overwhelming odds, he almost snatched victory from defeat. It was in the last courageous charge that he was wounded, and then his men fell back, protecting their beloved leader.

A DEADLY BULLET.

The bullet had struck the commander above the right temple. It was a serious wound, but General Ezeta, with unflagging courage, attended to his men before looking to himself. It was not until he was on the U. S. S. Benington that he could pay attention to the wound, which was then in a bad condition.

During his stay in San Francisco, he was under medical attendance. The wound healed outwardly, and nothing more serious was feared.

General Ezeta's movements from the time of the battle until his return to Central America are now matters of history.

After his departure from San Francisco, seeing the distressed condition of his home, he made another attempt to oust the oppressor Gutirrez from power, and to restore peace where disorder reigned. His attempts were not successful, however. He was expelled from San Salvador and Guatemala, and was forced to take refuge at Panama. His friends rallied around him, and slowly, but surely, Gutirrez' power began to totter, and the conditions would not be as they are now if Ezeta had lived a little longer.

BEGINNING TO FAIL.

In February of this year General Antonio told his secretary that he was not feeling well. Physicians were immediately consulted. The wound had not healed properly. Beneath the skin abscesses had formed causing the most acute torture. The pain was borne bravely and patiently. No one ever heard him complain, no one ever knew until the end came how he had suffered. The strong, sturdy General wasted away beneath the agony of those days. Three days before his death the physicians told Ezeta that only a few days remained to him on earth.

Ezeta called Urrutia to him. Calmly, without showing the slightest particle of fear, Ezeta told him what the physicians had said. Urrutia broke down and wept.

It was Ezeta who comforted him, and it was Ezeta who gave him the final instructions concerning his last wishes.

FORGIVES HIS ENEMIES.

First of all Urrutia was to bear to all of the bitter enemies of Ezeta the latter's forgiveness.

Ezeta told him to not fail to bear the message to President Gutierrez, the false friend and treacherous relative, showing that he, Ezeta, could forgive as well as fight.

Then came messages to others, all breathing a spirit of forgiveness. To his brother, ex-President Carlos Ezeta, his message was one of the utmost tenderness and gratitude. The priests came, and, at peace with God and the world, Antonio Ezeta breathed his last on March 13th, just three days after his sufferings had confined him to his bed.

AN IMPOSING FUNERAL.

There have been garbled and conflicting accounts of his death and equally so of his burial. Urrutia says the funeral was one of the grandest and most impressive ever held in Panama. The great cathedral was crowded to the doors with the vast multitude who paid their last tribute of respect to a great and honored man.

The Archbishop delivered the funeral address and consul-generals, ministers, army officers and others of note mingled among the mourners.

Surrounded by a grief-stricken people, the remains were carried to the burying grounds, where they will remain until a happier time arrives and they may be taken to San Salvador.

To Urrutia information came of how the San Salvadorans received the intelligence. They were stunned with grief. Business places were closed and mourning was universal. President Gutierrez, enraged at this silent demonstration of feeling which he could not suppress, forbade any public expression of grief.

Eight days after the funeral Urrutia left Panama for Oakland via New York and reached his destination yesterday. He gives the first authentic account of the death and burial of General Antonio Ezeta, who in his lifetime was a thorn in the side of the treacherous Gutierrez, and now, though dead, exercises a wonderful influence, an influence that causes Gutierrez to tremble.

THE PRIVATE SECRETARY.

Urrutia is a well educated, bright young man, who was secretary to General Carlos Ezeta when he was President. When Antonio Ezeta returned to Central America, Urrutia joined him at once and staid with him until the end.

Urrutia denies most emphatically the statements that Antonio was friendless and poverty-stricken in Panama. He declares that Antonio was surrounded by friends and had plenty of means. He resided at the home of Dr. Cristobal Amador, one of the most prominent physicians in Panama, and was honored socially and politically. Urrutia will go to San Salvador as soon as possible and bear to Gutierrez Ezeta's forgiving message.

BEAUTIFUL WISTERIA.

The Great Attraction Now in Bloom at Mills College.

The marvelous growth of wisteria, which has been for years one of the crowning glories of Mills College, is now in full bloom and its beauty cannot be comprehended except by a visit to the historic institution.

The enormous bunches of purple flowers are just now more numerous and fragrant than they will be at any other time this year. They reach from the ground to the roof of a two-story building and stretch in all directions. There is not such another individual growth of wisteria in California and probably not in the world. The blossoms cover several hundred square feet of surface and their fragrance extends all over the beautiful grounds. Mrs. Mills said today that if visitors wish to see this glorious floral display they must not delay their visit longer than the end of Easter week.

NO CHANGES YET MADE.

The Fire Department Is Still Under the Old Officers.

A Host of Applications Are Filed for Positions in the Board's Gift.

The Board of Police and Fire Commissioners held a meeting this morning. A rumor had gained currency that the change in the head of the Fire Department would be made, and the lobby was therefore filled. No change was made, however, but a number of applications were filed.

W. W. Moore's application to be appointed chief engineer of the Fire Department was filed.

The application of Allen Jackson to be appointed steward of chemical engine No. 2 was filed.

The application of W. H. Shepman for a position as steward of chemical engine at Twenty-third and Adeline was filed.

The application of M. B. Farley to be appointed engineer for engine No. 2 was filed.

The application of T. Brown for a position in the Fire Department was filed.

The application of George Cliver for a position as driver in the Fire Department was filed.

The application of W. C. Barnes for a position as steward of one of the chemical engines was filed.

Charles Armstrong applied for a position as steward of chemical engine No. 2 and his application was filed.

The application of Charles K. Clark to be appointed a regular police officer was filed.

The application of D. M. Collyer for a position as driver of the Fire Department was filed.

At the request of Chief Fair, Fireman A. T. York was granted a thirty days' leave of absence.

The request of Chief Fair for permission to hire a team to remove earth from the rear of the new engine house was referred to the Street Superintendent with power to act.

The rules submitted by Chief Fair to govern the Fire Department was referred to the committee of the whole.

Chief Fair was granted permission to hang a bell in engine house No. 2.

WANT CLEAR WATER.

(Continued from page 1.)

H. Owen, $120. The matter went over till next Wednesday.

WANT TO BE GARDENERS.

The following applications for a position as gardener in the city parks were filed: Wm. Flemming, R. N. Montell, J. Fitzmaurice, P. McBrien, J. W. Gazette, E. S. Howland, J. E. Sturgeon, J. H. Patton, H. Boniface, J. M. Ferry.

The following applications for street sprinklers were also filed:

Matthew Tubman, John Sunner, F. Ash, G. C. Hyatt, E. J. Murphy, C. Gray, G. Leslie, E. A. Kreiss, F. W. Little, R. W. Bartram, A. Fraiser, P. Kelly, L. Levy, L. Centres, Con Crowley, C. D. Harris, F. W. Baker, P. Rosenheim, W. Nicoll, W. Green, L. Hewlett, D. Toomey, Howard Robbins and John Palmer.

AMONG MAGDALENS.

Lizzie Silva Has Been Taken From the Insane Asylum.

Lizzie Silva, the young girl who was recently sent to the Stockton Insane Asylum has now been discharged from that institution and has been placed in the Magdalen Asylum at San Francisco. Mrs. Lydia Prescott of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children became interested in the girl who is only fifteen years of age and it was due to her efforts that the child was released from Stockton.

She is not at all insane but has been very wayward. For some time, her father kept the girl locked in her bedroom. Mrs. Silva planned an escape for the girl who managed to go to Sacramento to a sister residing there. Silva had her arrested and sent back. The girl was persuaded to make out that she was insane and was therefore sent to Stockton. The authorities kept her for a time and discharged her. She was then taken to the Magdalen Asylum.

Mrs. Prescott was at first inclined to believe that the girl had been cruelly persecuted but investigation showed that the girl had been very wayward and some restraint was an absolute necessity.

Going to Wed.

A marriage license has been issued to Herman J. Wilke and Leona Worrell Jeffries. The bride-to-be is but 17 years old, but a written request from Mrs. Jennie Jefferis allowed the issuance of the document.

Whidden's Indictments.

The nine indictments against County Auditor Myron Whidden will be heard before Judge Ogden next Wednesday. The matter came up today, but was continued for a week.

NOW FACES A JURY

Jack Howard to Answer for His Alleged Crime.

ATTORNEY SNOOK'S ADDRESS.

The Career of the Accused Set Forth With Great Clearness.

STRONG POINTS MADE CLEAR.

The Trial Attracts a Large Number of Court Frequenters.

The jury in the Howard murder case was selected before court adjourned last night and this morning District Attorney Snook opened the case for the prosecution. The jurors are: C. J. Bond, R. E. Barron Jr., George Hodges, H. A. Schafer, R. Sanderson, H. Foelken, V. H. Remmer, Frank Leavitt, I. B. Wheeler, A. F. Poirier, Henry Hauschildt and H. C. Poole.

The court room was crowded with men when the case was called and during the morning the lobby grew in size. All the witnesses were excluded from the room during testimony. This will be the order all through the trial.

Attorney Snook in his opening remarks said:

"We expect to show that Anne Johnson was about fifteen years old and resided with her parents, who came from Sweden, in the little cottage home on Tenth street. We will prove that she came to her death by a criminal operation performed upon her by Dr. Sharp and that the defendant, Howard was responsible for having it done.

"This sister, Hulda, was going with Howard before the death of Anne. The two sisters occupied a room in the basement of the Tenth-street home and on one occasion, Howard was discovered in the room with the two girls, by the mother, who was not permitted to enter."

The District Attorney, continuing stated that Howard took Anne to the St. John lodging house, where he procured a room. Later he returned with Dr. Sharp and after treatment, Hulda took her sick sister home.

The next day Sharp called at the house to treat Anne. Mrs. Johnson feared all was not right and so called in Dr. Kergan, who later brought Dr. Huntington to see the girl. The circumstances surrounding Anne's death were recited and the finding of the Coroner's jury were gone into.

"We will show," continued Mr. Snook, "that after Anne's death, when Howard and Hulda were confined in the city prison, charged with complicity in the murder, the two held frequent conversations, though they were separated by several cells. On one of these occasions Howard upbraided Hulda for receiving some candy from some one, saying she was going back on him.

"Hulda grew angry at this and told Howard that he was responsible for her sister's death and if she (Hulda) wanted to, she could put a halter on his neck. Howard wept piteously and pleaded with her not to give him away."

The District Attorney then told the jury that the Supreme Court had held that death under such circumstances is murder in the second degree only. He concluded by saying that he expected the jury to find Howard guilty of abetting Anne Johnson's slayer.

Dr. H. S. Kergan was the first witness called. He told of the visit to the dead girl at the request of the mother and the treatment of the patient up to the time of death.

Attorney Francoeur for the defense admitted the girl died from a criminal operation.

Dr. Huntington was put on the stand this afternoon. He testified that Anne Johnson had told him the cause of her ailment.

The dying statement of the girl was introduced in evidence, but though Dr. Huntington was in possession of information relative to the last words of deceased, outside of the death statement, it was not allowed to be introduced in evidence at this time.

SEVERE TREATMENT.

A Young Woman Claims That She Was Thrown Out of a House.

Miss Jennie Crabtree of Berkeley told a tale of woe to Judge Cliff this afternoon when she begged that Arthur Hollman be arrested, charged with assault. Mrs. Hollman keeps the Colonial, a swell boarding house, at 2218 Dana street, Berkeley, and Jennie was employed as a housemaid at $25 per month. Mrs. Hollman found a girl who would do the work for $20 a month and began to take steps to get rid of Jennie. Complaints began to be frequent and one evening Mrs. Hollman's son, Arthur, knocked at the door of Jennie's room and told the latter that she could clear out, as her services were no longer needed, tendering her $12.50 as her month's salary. Jennie refused to take anything less than the amount agreed upon.

"He threw me out of the room then," said Jennie tearfully, "and when I went back to get my belongings, he threw me down the front steps."

Jennie showed a bruised arm and said her side and back were black with bruises, so Judge Cliff issued the warrant for Hollman's arrest.

STILL MISSING.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 14.—The overdue ship Samaria from Seattle for San Francisco, coal laden, continues to cause great anxiety on account of her non-appearance. Her owner, S. B. Peterson of this city, has almost given up hope but he has requested the revenue service to send out the cutter Rush to search for trace of the missing vessel.

Commission Revoked.

Constable Koch has revoked the appointment of Alfred Brandes as his deputy.

Abbott Better.

Carl Abbott, who has been ill for a week, is reported better today.

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Beautiful Styles for Easter

The store is full of attractive goods suitable for Easter. To describe them is a task too great. A personal visit is necessary.

Kid Gloves

Right now our glove department is in the best possible shape to meet your wants. Good gloves at moderate prices. Gloves that bring you back for another pair are the kind we keep. Try us this time for your Easter goods. Any price you want.

A Parasol

To go with the costume is necessary; for this will, in all probability, be a sunny Easter. New Sun Shades, just received. Values you cannot find elsewhere. Grades at 50c, 75c, $1.00, 1.25, 1.50, 1.95, 2.50 to 7.00.

Children's Parasols at 25c, 35c, 50c and 75c.

Easter Bonnet Ribbons

Save money on Ribbons by coming to us for them. A great assortment especially for Easter. At 20c, 25c, 35c, 50c, 60c and 75c a yard.

Neckwear and Veiling

New ruchings, frillings, lace yokes, chiffon and lace fronts, collars and fichues. All are fashionable and not expensive. Veilings of the latest mesh and spot at 25c, 35c and 50c a yard.

Handkerchiefs

Exceptional values now offered in plain, hem or embroidered goods. A new line is a ladies' pure linen hemstitched handkerchiefs, in ⅛, ½ and 1 inch hem, at 12½c a 20c handkerchief.

New Hosiery

For ladies and children; in black, tan, ox blood and fancy effects. Our line is certainly inferior to none. Our values superior. Grades at 12½c, 15c, 20c, 22c, 25c, 34c, 50c and 75c a pair.

Thomson's Corsets

Another lot just in.

Our sales of this best of all corsets are constantly growing. Try a Thomson Corset next time, and you will be satisfied. Grades at $1.00, 1.25, 1.50, 1.75, 2.00, 2.25 and 2.50.

Ladies' Wraps

Our cloak department is a busy place just at present. Skirts, capes, jackets, and silk waists of styles and prices that attract trade.

Children's Reefer Jackets

The largest and handsomest line of these cute little garments we have ever shown. Take a look at them, sure. Grades at $1.50, 1.75, 2.00, 2.50, 3.00, 3.50, 4.00, 5.00 to 7.00.

Boys' Waists

Shirt waists and Pauntleroy waists at 50c, 75c, $1.00, 1.25, 1.50 to 2.00.

SHIRT WAISTS

Try as they will, we haven't a single competitor in ladies' shirt waist that can match the values, styles or the fit of our waists. Grades at 48c, 69c, 75c, 89c, 98, $1.10, 1.45, 1.75 to 2.40. A fit or no sale.

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FROM THE JAWS OF DEATH

Madman Grebe Revives and the Pin Is Taken From His Throat.

The condition of W. Grebe, the insane cigar maker, who swallowed a hat-pin yesterday, is still serious, but he will be moved to Agnews asylum today.

Last night, when the man was apparently dying, Jailer Lane, assisted by Deputy Sheriff Charles White, made an examination of the patient's throat. They were startled to find the brass hat-pin, fully eight inches in length, twisted up into the shape of a letter S and sticking directly across his throat. The point of the pin had penetrated the windpipe, making a hole through which air escaped.

Lane had great difficulty in removing the dangerous pin. Dr. Fisher was called in, and after vigorous work succeeded in reviving the insane man sufficiently to empty his stomach of a cigar which he had swallowed.

TWO SISTERS TO WED.

An interesting marriage ceremony will occur this evening when Rev. Dr. Kummer will unite two loving couples. Miss K. Low Dods will become the bride of John E. Brink of Los Angeles and her sister, Miss Grace, will be married to Henry Hook of this city. The young ladies are well known in Oakland.

Mr. Brink is the president of the Los Angeles Athletic Club and very popular in that city.

DIVORCE GRANTED.

A divorce has been granted to Della M. Hardy from Tracy S. Hardy on the grounds of extreme cruelty. The case was not contested by Mr. Hardy. Both are well known in Oakland and occupy good social position. Hardy is the son of W. B. Hardy, formerly the Broadway book and stationery dealer. The relation between Mr. and Mrs. Hardy have been strained for some time past and the outcome has caused no surprise.

PARDEE WILL CASE.

The Pardee will case has been set for trial on the 28th. The announcement of the date was made this afternoon.

LICENSED TO MARRY

George W. Will, San Francisco	38
Ida L. Bougny, San Francisco	21
Carl Dohlstrom, Oakland	22
Rosa May, Oakland	23
James Jollymour, Oakland	27
Margaret McKenna, Alameda	23
Frank Lawrence Anderson, Oakland	25
Mary Agnes Keeley, Alameda	21
Caverno Seim, Oakland	25
Carrie Schoenberg, Oakland	22
Herman John Wilke, Oakland	33
Lena Warrell Jeffries, Oakland	17
John William von Brahmstead, San Rafael	42
Alicia E. Boone Blythe, San Rafael	40
Antone Silveria Pires, Centerville	29
Mary Louisa Louis, Irvington	18
John Jepsen, Los Gatos	25
Dorethea Tarp, San Jose	20
William Edward Beebe, San Francisco	36
Mary Hart, San Francisco	28

In Port.

NEW YORK, April 14.—Arrived: The Patria, from Hamburg.

NEW YORK—The Konsington, from Antwerp.

Liverpool—The Waesland from Philadelphia.

Glasgow—The Anchoria, from New York.

London—The steamer Ontario from Boston.

Hamburg—The Galicia from New Orleans.

Plymouth—The Lahn from New York for Bremen.

HOWARD OSGOOD ILL.

Howard Osgood, the druggist, was taken seriously ill last evening, after drinking a glass of mineral water. A physician worked with him during the night and this morning Mr. Osgood is slightly improved, though still quite ill.

Insane.

Maria Moore of 910 Alameda avenue, Alameda, was this afternoon adjudged insane by Judge Greene. She has refused to eat for several weeks and at one time made a nice bon-fire of some of the household furniture.

She has used liquor to a great extent during her life and this is believed to be the cause of her unsoundness of mind.

Wharf Notes.

The last week has been a busy one at the wharf.

The Arcata, from Coos Bay, is discharging coal today.

The Pomona, from Puget Sound, is unloading lumber.

The Caroline, from Mendocino, left this morning, after discharging her cargo of coal.

Charles Schuler Dead.

Charles Schuler, a native of Switzerland aged 47 years, died at his home in Fruitvale yesterday. The funeral will take place from the parlors of Beaudry & McAvoy, at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

Elmhurst Postmaster.

Newton Gray of Elmhurst has been recommended by Congressman Hilborn for the postmastership of that place. Gray is a well known and highly respected citizen of Elmhurst.

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DIED.

PITTS—In North Oakland, April 14, 1897, Lenalede Lovering, daughter of James and the late Mary Pitts, and sister of Warren Pitts and granddaughter of Mrs. E. Henderson, a native of Oakland, aged 11 years, 7 months and 22 days.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from the residence of the grandmother, 246 Hill street, on Friday, at 2 P. M. Interment, Mountain View Cemetery, Oakland.

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ATTORNEYS.

PHIL M. WALSH—Attorney- at-law, City Justices' Court Building, 812 cor. Broadway and Eighth sts.

GEORGE W. LANGAN—Attorney and counselor-at-law, Livermore, Cal; practices in all courts.

BEN F. WOOLNER—Attorney and counselor-at-law and notary public. 1003½ Broadway, rooms 7 and 8.

CLINTON G. DODGE—Rooms 15 and 16, 906 Broadway.

FOX & GRAY—Attorneys-at-law, Pacific Mutual Building, entrance 6, fourth floor San Francisco.

FRICK & GOODCELL, Attorneys-at-Law, Blake & Moffitt building, rooms 49-52.

GEORGE E. DE GOLIA—967 Broadway, northeast cor. of Ninth street, Oakland, room 3, telephone No. 88.

JOHNSON & SHAW—Law office, 921 Broadway, rooms 2, 3 and 5.

GREEN MAJORS, Attorney-at-Law and Notary Public. 1009½ Broadway.

MELVIN C. CHAPMAN—Attorney-at law, 957 Broadway, Oakland, Cal., rooms 3, 4 and 5.

SNOOK & CHURCH, Attorneys-at-law, room 2, district attorney's office, Court House.

NYE & KINSELL—Attorneys-at-law 561 Broadway.

R. M. FITZGERALD—Attorney-at-law, 554½ Broadway, rooms 1 and 2, Oakland.

SAMUEL BELL McKEE, Jr.—Attorney-at-law, 957 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

FOR SALE MISCELLANEOUS.

INCUBATOR for sale.—A 250-egg incubator in perfect condition; is a 90 degree hatcher, $17.50. 1036 Broadway. A. Muchmore.

FOR SALE CHEAP—One Shetland pony cart. Call at 563 7th st.

SETTING EGGS from thoroughbred light Brahmas for sale, 75c per dozen. Japanese Nursery, cor. 16th and Willow sts., near Sixteenth St. Station, Oakland.

WANTED—To sell, on account of removal, one upright piano, German make, good tone and in good condition at a very reasonable figure. Call or address 571 Jones st., Oakland.

FOR SALE—A '98 Thistle wheel, almost new. Call at 202 Eighth st.

FINE out under covered surrey, light wagon for part payment. A. M. D., box 3, Tribune office.

FOR SALE—Very cheap; the best cash fruit business in Oakland; two young men or a man with family; it is the best thing in Oakland; this is a bargain for some one. John McVay, 153 Fifth st.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Caligraph in perfect condition; price $20 cash. Call at 1519 Twenty-fourth ave., Oakland, between 2 and 6 P. M.

PICTURES FRAMED at 25 per cent reduction, 40 on framed stock; installments or rent; finest and largest stock in town. Wilhelm's Art Store, Twelfth and Clay. Bargains in organs.

A FIRST CLASS milch cow, Jersey and Holstein, 5 years old, for sale at A. G. Anderson, Echo ave., near Piedmont District School.

SOLID hard wood brace arm high back chairs reduced to 90 cents. Universal Stoves, cheapest in town. Three drawer chiffoniers, $2 apiece. Golden Gate Furniture Store, 475 Eighth street.

UNIMPROVED FOR SALE.

$175—Good lot 40x100 between Grove and West sts.

$850—Lot 31x132 (macadamized and sewered), Chestnut near Twenty-eighth st. Worth $900. Go and see it.

CITY REAL ESTATE.

SNAP!—$7 per foot, worth $15, beautiful lot 44x100, Clinton Mound tract, right in town, 12 min. from Bdway, charming view, healthy location, 2 min. from electrics; must sell; owner going East. Address T. Ellis, this office.

MISC.

PROF. FRANK PALMER, Mandolin, Guitar and Banjo; 4 lessons, 1 per week, $3; 8 lessons, 2 per week, $5. Instruments furnished pupils free to take home. Director and teacher of Espanita Mandolin and Guitar Club. Studio, 476 Thirteenth street, parlor 5.

THOROUGH PIANO TEACHING by an experienced lady teacher. 519 18th st., Oakland.

S. C. BALDWIN, teacher of banjo, mandolin and guitar; 4 lessons, 1 per week, $4; 8 lessons, 2 per week, $6; instruments furnished pupils free to take home. Studio, 476 13th st. cor. Washington, Room 2.

MONEY WANTED.

WANTED to borrow $2200 on new house and lot 50x125. Cost $4350; first mortgage leased for 10 years at $70 a month. Address N. W., 1206 Washington street.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT.

A TENANT wanted for two or three furnished rooms for complete housekeeping, at a reasonable price; sun all day. 1011 Webster st.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for housekeeping; modern improvements; near local trains; also nice flat cheap. Apply 421 Sixth st.

THREE rooms for housekeeping at 468 Eighth street between Broadway and Washington. Terms reasonable.

FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS Brown Building, 478½ Tenth.

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms for housekeeping and bath; $8 per month. 1159 Seventh st. near Adeline station.

THE VICTORIA—Nice sunny suites for light housekeeping; Bath and laundry free. Nice sunny rooms for gentlemen. Rents reasonable. 881½ Clay st.

TRUNKS MOVED, 25c. each. 424 Tenth st.

UNFURNISHED ROOMS TO LET.

FOR RENT—$6. Two sunny unfurnished rooms, fronting on Broadway in a select family house, Second and Broadway.

ROOMS AND BOARDING.

THE LORNE, 562 Eighth st.; beautifully furnished sunny rooms, single and en suite; excellent table; terms moderate.

PLEASANT HOME, near business center; sunny rooms, pleasant grounds and excellent table. 156 E. 12th st., cor. 3d ave.

HOUSES FOR RENT.

DESIRABLE cottage for rent with its furniture complete for sale for $125. Seen from 10 to 12, 719 9th st.

PIEDMONT—Pretty furnished cottage, 3 rooms. Address 278 5th street.

TO LET—$8; cheapest cottage of four rooms and high basement in central Oakland. See owner this week at 1465 West street.

TO LET—Modern cottage of 6 rooms, with high basement. 1115 West st. Rent reasonable.

HOUSES FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—The most beautiful and desirable home on Highland Park, in East Oakland; can be had now for two-thirds of its value; nine rooms; large grounds; fifty fruit bearing trees of choicest varieties; large poultry lot; near two electric lines. Inquire of owner, N. R. J., 1024 East Thirteenth st., Oakland.

FOR SALE—On account of ill health, the owner of two nice five room modern cottages, with lot 68x100, in a good location and not far distant from local train, will sell at a bargain for a period of 10 days. These cottages rent for $35 per month and are always occupied. Apply to Albert Schmidt, 620 E. 12th st., East Oakland.

FLATS TO RENT.

UPPER FLOOR of three sunny rooms to let for housekeeping; rent $10. 1360 Webster st.

HALLS TO LET.

GRAND ARMY HALL to let. Apply 1116 Broadway.

OFFICE TO RENT.

SUNNY FRONT OFFICE—First floor, Brown Building, 478½ Tenth.

FINE OFFICE for rent, suitable for doctor or dentist; one of the handsomest suits in city; large windows, and very sunny, facing on Washington st. Brunswick Hotel, cor. Ninth and Washington sts.

FOR EXCHANGE.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—In Auburn, county seat of Placer Co., the great health resort, 12 acres, 6 in fruit in full bearing; all varieties of small fruits; also good house, 8 rooms, 3 blocks from depot, shipping houses, etc.; 5 hours from San Francisco; 4 trains to Sacramento daily; will exchange for city property; price $6,000 in exchange, reduction for cash. Address J. P. Cook, County Clerk's office, Oakland, Cal.

TO EXCHANGE for Oakland or San Francisco property, or for irrigation bonds, 1700 acres of first class pasture and farming land, unincumbered; several hundred acres of this land can be cultivated, and the soil very rich; a growth of large white oak timber on the land; would make an excellent hog or stock ranch; located about twenty miles from the town of Santa Maria, Santa Barbara County, California. Address W. G. Taylor, P. O. Box 478, Oakland.

MEDICAL.

A BLESSING to ladies suffering from irregularities and diseases peculiar to their sex; latest improved method of treatment; never fails; perfectly harmless; free from any bad effects; never makes them sick to make them well; travelers helped immediately; prices to suit the times; home in confinement. Dr. and Mrs. Davies, 14 McAllister st., next Hibernia Bank; consult free. French regulating pink pills, $2.

LADIES, why suffer, when you can easily and surely be cured by the harmless B. C. Winter's Sanno Eucalyptus Remedies, to be had of all druggists, or Mrs. K. Dods, general agent, 1010 Webster st., Oakland.

DRS. C. C. & G. W. O'DONNELL—Office and residence, 704 Washington st., near Kearny, and 765 Market st., San Francisco; office hours 10 A. M. to 4 P. M., and 7 to 8 P. M.; particular attention paid to diseases of women and children.

TAILORING.

LOUIS SCHOENER, the perfect tailor, renovates clothes, cuts and fits, cheaper than any house in town. 119 Telegraph ave.

OCULISTS.

HAYWARD G. THOMAS, M. D., Office Central Bank Building, Fourteenth and Broadway. Hours 10 to 4.

WINES AND LIQUORS.

SCHLITZ MILWAUKEE BEER Depot, C. H. Kucks, proprietor, 469 Twelfth st., Oakland; private entrance for ladies.

FURNITURE WANTED.

A. H. MAYER buys furniture, carpets, piano. 1135 Market, S. F.; tel. Jessie 761.

PHYSICIANS' DIRECTORY.

D. D. CROWLEY, M. D.—Surgeon; office Central Block, 1062 Broadway, Oakland.

EDUCATIONAL.

SPANISH LESSONS — A twelve weeks' course; pupils prepared to go into Spanish countries. 1431 Filbert st.

PRIVATE LESSONS at 542 Telegraph avenue, in stenography, typewriting, bookkeeping and a general English education, with writing; terms easy.

DRESSMAKING.

DRESSMAKER WOULD LIKE ENgagements. By day, $1.50. Address 766 Fourteenth street, East Oakland.

DRESSMAKER and seamstress wishes engagements; $1 per day. Address M. S., box 1, this office.

SITUATIONS WANTED FEMALE.

WOMAN wishes housework by the day; washing, ironing, cleaning; 845 Harrison st.

RESPECTABLE young man, first class cook, and wife, neat accomplished waitress, desire situations. Apply J. P. Johnston & Co., 872 Broadway.

GOOD reliable girls of all nationalities for all kinds of housework. Good recommendations given. Mrs. Marvin's Employment Bureau, 1153 Washington st. Tel. Red 2014.

MRS. L. BUCKINGHAM'S Elite Employment Bureau for male and female help of all nationalities. 520 Eighth st.; established 1855; we study to please; telephone 3293 Red.

WOMAN wishes situation; second work, assist with sewing or upstairs work, assist with children. Call or address 30 Telegraph ave.

A SWEDISH GIRL wants situation to do cooking and general housework; wages $25. Apply 1716 Linden street; good references.

MRS. HAROLD'S Employment Bureau, 515 Eighth street, furnishes first-class help of all nationalities at short notice.

A COMPETENT WOMAN wishes a situation in a small private family; is a good cook; Canadian; no objection to small wash. Call 513 9th st., near Washington. References.

A RESPONSIBLE American woman wants to take care of a house while the family are away for the summer. Address S. M. F., box 2, this office.

WANTED—By a young lady, position as attendant in an office; dentist's or doctor's preferred; good reference. Address H. S., box 4, this office.

DANISH GIRL wants situation to do general housework in a private family, Oakland or Alameda. Please call at 1458 Myrtle st., Oakland, Cal.

EMPLOYMENT OFFICE — Mrs. Cattell, 525 Eighth st., near Clay; German, Scandinavian, all nationalities; referenced cooks, nurses, second girls, coachmen, gardeners, etc. Tel. 3291-black.

YOUNG AMERICAN GIRL WILLING to do light house work for privilege of attending school can find good home at 1264 Twelfth avenue. Call between 10 and 12 o'clock.

WANTED—Your orders for male and female help of all kinds. Employment Bureau, 511 Thirteenth st., near Washington. Tel. Main 112.

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

SALESLADY, also maker and apprentice. Apply after 7 o'clock tonight. The Bonnet Box Millinery Store, 461 Thirteenth street, Oakland.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

JAPANESE boy, speaks good English, wants position to do gardening and care for horses; good references. Address H. S. S., box 2, this office.

FIRST-CLASS Japanese cook wishes situation to do cooking and housework. Address Sam, 679 5th st.

A FIRST-CLASS reliable China boy for second work; for reference call at his present position, 2081 Webster street, or 261 Thirteenth st., Oakland.

MALE HELP WANTED.

RELIABLE MAN to handle agents for Telephone Tablet and specialties; pays $5,000 a year. Enclose stamp. Victory Mfg. Co., Cleveland, O.

WANTED—A competent girl for general housework; must be a good cook; no washing; give references, wages wanted and address. E. W. box 3 this office.

WANTED—An active man of culture and refinement for responsible position. Must have good references; good pay. Address G. G. K., box 4, Tribune office.

AGENTS WANTED.

SIX MILLION PEOPLE voted for Hon. W. J. Bryan. His only book, "The First Battle," is now ready. Agents making from $25.00 to $150.00 per week; the greatest seller of the age; send for outfit quick. Beware of fraudulent books. W. D. Conkey Company, Sole Publishers, Chicago.

AGENTS WANTED—For war in Cuba, by Senor Quesada, Cuban representative at Washington. Endorsed by Cuban patriots. In tremendous demand. A bonanza for agents. Only $1.50. Big book, big commissions. Everybody wants the only endorsed, reliable book. Outfits free. Credit given. Freight paid. Drop all trash, and make $300 a month with "War in Cuba." Address today, THE NATIONAL BOOK CONCERN, 352-356 Dearborn street, Chicago.

LOST AND FOUND.

ENGLISH PUG DOG, answers to name of "Punch"; tag 16. Return to 568 Thirty-third st. and receive reward.

LOST—A fox terrier. Reward if returned to 1319 Tenth ave., East Oakland.

LOST—A silver watch and chain in East Oakland. Return to 1635 24th ave. and receive reward.

LOST—Black spotted fox terrier; reward will be paid on return to 1041 Adeline street.

FOUND—Cow; owner may have same by proving property and paying expenses. Call at 617 Magnolia st.

LOST—Sunday at Blair Park, a large pair of field glasses. Reward if returned to this office.

LOST—Gold rimmed eyeglasses and ladies' hard satchel. Return to A. Jacobs & Co., 958 Washington st., and receive reward.

LOST—An overcoat near corner of Cypress and Sixteenth sts. Finder return to 1865 Twelfth and receive reward.

LOST—MONDAY EVENING BETWEEN Seventh and Washington and Eighth and Grove streets, lady's gold watch with monogram. Liberal reward if returned to this office.

DENTISTS.

S. A. HACKETT, D. D. S., removed to 1168 Washington st., S. E. cor. of 14th.

DR. CHAS. P. EVERTS, Dentist, 26 Montgomery st., San Francisco, rooms 1-2-3; office hours 9 to 12 A. M. and 1 to 5 P. M.

DR. W. E. TAYLOR, Dentist, Central Bank building, rooms 201-224; hours 9-12 and 1-5; Tel. 1881 Red.

J. DIMMICK, Dentist, has returned from Oregon and can be found at old stand, 875 Washington st.

J. M. DUNN, D. D. S., 1155 Broadway, rooms 27, 28, 29. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

FULL SET OF TEETH, $7; warranted 5 years; painless extraction; see our new combination plate; thinnest, lightest, coolest plate made; warranted 10 years; fillings 50c; crowns $3.50. Chicago Dental Parlors, 24 Sixth st., San Francisco.

COUNTRY REAL ESTATE.

D. H. TWING, Real Estate Agent, Sonoma City, Cal. City office, 632 Market st., S. F. Several nice properties to exchange for Oakland property.

GROCERIES.

CRAFT & RUSSELL—Grocers; buy at home and save money. 552-554 East Twelfth street, corner Eleventh avenue. Telephone 1011 Main.

PALMISTRY.

Genuine studied science by the celebrated Madame Pinchetti from Australia. Honesty can be relied upon. Sittings daily from 11 A. M. to 9 P. M., 955 Webster street, near Ninth street.

REAL ESTATE.

$7,000—Fine bargain; two story residence of nine rooms, on Webster street bet. Fourteenth and Durant; lot 74x150; land alone worth the price. Owner now in New York City. Has instructed us to make an offer. Laymance Real Estate and Investment Co., 466 Eighth st.

$2,800—$500 cash, $30 per month; modern cottage, five rooms and bath; in first class order; on Tenth near Adeline; being sold for the bank; send for photograph. Laymance Real Estate and Investment Co., 466 Eighth st.

$900—Modern bay window cottage, four rooms, high basement; brick foundation; house insured for $1,200; a bargain. $100 cash, $10 per month. Thirty-ninth st., near Grove. Laymance Real Estate and Investment Co., 466 Eighth st.

Administrator's Sale—Two story residence nine rooms; lot 41x150 on beautiful street, bet. Eighth and Tenth; splendid location; appraised for $3,000; must be sold to close estate. Laymance Real Estate and Investment Co., 466 Eighth st.

$3,600, formerly $4,500—Modern cottage of six rooms, lot 25x150; perfect condition; exceptional central location, three blocks of Central Bank; immediate sale wanted; owner going East; can arrange easy terms; this is choice; investigate it. Laymance Real Estate and Investment Co., 466 Eighth st.

$2,500—New colonial residence, nine rooms and bath; good barn; lot 40x166; situated on beautiful elevated location near Twenty-third avenue; commanding landscape and marine view; house one year old, being sold for the bank; only $250 cash, $25 per month; exceptional opportunity; street work complete; one-half block of electric cars. Laymance Real Estate and Investment Co., 466 Eighth st.

$5,500—Beautiful new two story residence, only three years old; eight rooms and bath; six blocks of Fourteenth and Franklin; mortgage of $4,700; only $800 required; make an offer. Laymance Real Estate and Investment Co., 466 Eighth st.

$3,350—$550 cash, balance monthly. If sold this week, too large for present owner, new two story residence, eight rooms; lot 26x105; on Twenty-third st., bet. Grove and Telegraph ave. Laymance Real Estate and Investment Co., 466 Eighth st.

$1,550—Reduced for quick sale; a furnished modern cottage of five rooms and bath, situate on sunny side of Fourth ave. near Clinton station, East Oakland. William J. Dingee, 460 and 462 Eighth st.

For Exchange, for good ranch property, clear or with small mortgage, near Pleasanton or Livermore, an elegant new residence on Fruitvale ave., finished in the latest modern style, handsomely frescoed; beautiful curly redwood finish; plate glass windows, etc.; lot 49x150; cash price $5,500; bank mortgage of $3500. William J. Dingee, 460 and 462 Eighth st.

$3,600—Modern one and one-half story cottage containing ten rooms and bath; situate on Thirty-second st. near Telegraph ave.; lot 50x140. William J. Dingee, 460 and 462 Eighth st.

$3,000—A modern cottage containing six rooms and bath; situate in Lorin on the Grove street electric line; corner lot 32x120; stable. William J. Dingee, 460 and 462 Eighth st.

$1,750 will buy a neat cottage, containing five rooms and bath, situate on Adeline st. near Fourteenth st.; lot 25x100; easy terms if desired. William J. Dingee, 460 and 462 Eighth st.

$2,750—A few hundred cash and balance at $25 per month; a perfect little cottage home, recently built and containing six rooms, bath and laundry; terraced lawn; lot 37½x100, in fine neighborhood near Telegraph ave.; reduced from $3,250. William J. Dingee, 460 and 462 Eighth st.

$4,000—A modern two story house of seven rooms and bath on a choice northeast corner in East Oakland near the Judge Henshaw residence; lot 50x100. William J. Dingee, 460 and 462 Eighth st.

$150 $150 $150

This fine property is located on the San Leandro Electric Line, streets macadamized, sidewalked, city water. Price $150 per lot. Easy terms.

FIELD REALTY COMPANY,
1128 Twenty-third avenue, East Oakland.

GREAT CHANCE—For sixty days only, you can buy a beautiful lot in the Jones Tract, in the best part of Elmhurst; cement sidewalks; graded streets; city water; very low prices; $5 and $10 per month, without interest or taxes. Every house built on this property rents at once; houses built on easy terms. See owner, A. Jones, Elmhurst, or L. L. M. Salsbury, agent Elmhurst Land Co., 465 Ninth st.

A POLE IN THE MARSH.

Citizens of West Oakland Are Planning to Float Old Glory.

A Jubilee Promised When the Flag Is Given to the Breeze.

At the meeting of the West Oakland Improvement Club, last night, the question of widening Fourteenth street from Myrtle to Market streets was considered.

B. C. Cuvellier told of the necessity of purchasing the ten feet of land which abuts into the street. He thought the easiest way out of the matter was to buy the property from the owner, though he favored condemnation if Perez could not show legal title to the strip.

A petition was circulated urging the Council to take steps in the matter and after an investigation, to institute legal proceedings if necessary.

The committee authorized to erect a flag pole on the West Oakland marsh, reported great difficulty in being able to safely secure the mast owing to the marshy underground. One plan was to build a frame in the form of a socket eight or ten feet deep into which the pole could sink, and to let that down into the mud, placing ten-foot planks crosswise flat side to the mud around the frame and fastened to it so that it could not sway. Another suggestion was to form a bed of concrete around the frame. The pole is to be raised as soon as the details are completed, and that will be in a few weeks. A big jollification will be had at Hansen's Hall to celebrate the event.

Some informal discussion followed relative to plans for the park but no definite action was taken.

MARKET REPORTS.

WHEAT AND OTHER GRAINS.

WHEAT—$1.17½@1.20 per ctl for common grades, $1.22½ for average No. 1, $1.25 for choice and $1.30@1.37½ per ctl for extra choice milling.

FLOUR AND MILLSTUFFS.

FLOUR—Family extras, $4.75@4.85; Bakers' extras, $4.50@4.65; superfine, $4@4.25 per bbl.

CORNMEAL, ETC.—Feed Corn, $17.50@18; Cracked Corn, $18@19 per ton.

MILLSTUFFS—Graham Flour, $2.85 per 100 lbs; Rye Flour, $2.50 per 100 lbs; Rice Flour, $5.75; Cornmeal, $2@2.25; extra cream do, $2.75; Oatmeal, $3.50; Oat Groats, $4; Hominy, $3.10@3.30; Buckwheat Flour, $3.25@3.50; Cracked Wheat, $3.50; Farina, $4; Whole Wheat Flour, $3; Rolled Oats (bbls), $4.75@5.15; Pearl Barley, $3.75@4; Split Peas, $3.50; Green do, $4.25 per 100 lbs.

HAY AND FEEDSTUFFS.

BRAN—$13@13.50 for the best and $12@12.50 per ton for outside brands.

MIDDLINGS—$17@18 for lower grades and $18.50@19 per ton for the best.

FEEDSTUFFS—Rolled Barley, $15@15.50; Oilcake Meal at the mill, $26.50 per ton; jobbing, $27.50.

HAY—Wheat, $8@10.50; Wheat and Oat, $7@10; Oat, $6@8.50; Barley, $5.50@8; Alfalfa, $5@7.50; compressed, $6@9.50; stock, $5@6; Clover, $6@8 per ton.

STRAW—25@50c per bale.

BEANS AND SEEDS.

BEANS—Bayos, $1.75@1.95; Small Whites, $1@1.20 per ctl; Large Whites, $1@1.20 per ctl; Pinks, $1.05@1.20; Reds, $1.10@1.30; Blackeye, $1.50@1.75; Red Kidney, $2@2.50; Limas, $1.50@1.60; Butters, $1.25@1.50; Pea, $1.10@1.25.

SEEDS—Brown Mustard, $2.50@2.75; Yellow Mustard, $1.50 per ctl; Flax, $1.50; Canary Seed, 1½@2¼c per lb; Alfalfa, 6¼c; Rape, 2½@2¾c; Hemp, 3c; Timothy, 4½c.

DRIED PEAS — Niles, $1@1.20 per ctl; Green, $1.25@1.40 per ctl.

POTATOES, ONIONS, VEGETABLES.

POTATOES—New Potatoes, 1@2c per lb; Sweet Potatoes, $1@1.75 per ctl; Early Rose, 60@75c per ctl; River Reds, 70@80c; Burbank Seedlings, 50@60c per ctl for Rivers and 60@80c for Petalumas; Oregon Burbanks, 65@$1.10.

ONIONS—Oregons, $3.25@3.75 per ctl. Cut Onions, $1.25@1.50 per sack. Australian Onions, $4@5.50 per ctl.

VEGETABLES — Hothouse Cucumbers, 75c@$1.50 per dozen; Asparagus, 75c@1.25 per box for common, $1.50 for choice and $1.75@2 for fancy; Rhubarb, 25c@$1 per box; Marrowfat Squash, $6@7 per ton; Los Angeles Tomatoes, —— per box; Mexican Tomatoes, $1.25@1.50 per box; Dried Peppers, 6@8c per lb; Green Peas, 1½@2½ c; Los Angeles String Beans, 6@8c per lb; Dried Okra, 8@9c per lb; Cabbage, 40@50c per ctl; Carrots, 25@30c per sack; Garlic, 1½@2c per lb.

BUTTER, CHEESE AND EGGS.

Creamery—Fancy creameries, 13@13½c; seconds, 12@12½c per lb.

Dairy—Choice to fancy, 11@12c per lb; lower grades, 8@10c.

Pickled—13½@14c per lb for new.

Firkin—13@14c per lb for new.

Creamery Tub—New, 14c per lb.

CHEESE—Choice mild new, 6½@7c; common to good, 5½@6c; Cream Cheddar, 10@11c; Young America, 7@8c; Western, 11c; Eastern, 13@15c.

EGGS — Ranch Eggs, 11½@12c; Store Eggs, 10½@11c per dozen; Duck Eggs, 14c per dozen.

POULTRY AND GAME.

POULTRY — Live Turkeys, 14@15c for Gobblers, 15@16c for Hens; Geese, per pair, $2@2.25; Goslings, $2.50@3; Ducks, $5@6.50 for old and $7@8 for young; Hens, $4@5; Roosters, young, $6.50@7.50; do, old, $4@4.50; Fryers, $5@6.50; Broilers, $4@5 for large and $2.50@3.50 for small; Pigeons, $1.75@2 per doz for young and $1.50 for old.

GAME—Hare nominal; Rabbits, nominal.

SAN FRANCISCO MEAT MARKET.

BEEF—First quality, 6c; second, 5@5½c; third do, 4@4½c per lb.

VEAL—Large, 5@6c; small, 6@7c per lb.

MUTTON—Wethers, 6c; Ewes, 5c per lb.

LAMB—Spring, 6½@7½c per lb.

PORK—Live Hogs, 4@4½c per lb for dressed do, 5@6½ c per lb.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

STEAMERS TO DEPART.

Czarina, Coos Bay	April 14
Santa Rosa, San Diego	April 14
Farallon, Yaquina Bay	April 14
Pomona, Humboldt Bay	April 14
A. Blanchard, Oregon ports	April 15
Arcata, Coos Bay	April 16
City Puebla, Vic and Pgt Sd	April 16
Coos Bay, Newport	April 16
State of California, Portland	April 18
Del Norte, Grays Harbor	April 18
Corona, San Diego	April 18
City of Para, Panama	April 19
Eureka, Newport	April 20
Australia, Honolulu	April 20
Sunol, Grays Harbor	April 20
Walla Walla, Vic and Pgt Sd	April 21
Gaelic, China and Japan	April 21
Columbia, Portland	April 23

STEAMERS TO ARRIVE.

Wellington, Departure Bay	April 14
Australia, Honolulu	April 14
Coos Bay, Newport	April 14
Humboldt, Humboldt Bay	April 15
State of California, Portland	April 15
Del Norte, Grays Harbor	April 16
Corona, San Diego	April 16
Truckee, Tillamook Bay	April 16
Walla Walla, Vic and Pgt Sd	April 17
Sunol, Grays Harbor	April 17
City of Peking, China and Japan	April 17
Orizaba, Mexico	April 17
Acapulco, Panama	April 18
Eureka, Newport	April 18
Columbia, Portland	April 20
Santa Rosa, San Diego	April 20
Farallon, Yaquina Bay	April 21
North Fork, Humboldt Bay	April 21

STRONG IN THE LORD.

Twenty People Confirmed at the Church of the Advent.

An Impressive Discourse by the Right Rev. Bishop Nichols.

An impressive service was held last night in the Church of the Advent, when twenty persons were confirmed by the Right Rev. Bishop Nichols, D. D.

The Bishop delivered a very impressive sermon on the life of Christ, taking his text from the eighth chapter of John.

He said that a great many lives of Christ had been written, "but," he continued, "there is in the New Testament material for an autobiography. Every word that drops from his lips is a leaf a page from his life.

"John says, in conclusion, 'There are many other things that might be said of Christ. There are two meanings attached to the word 'other' in the New Testament. In one sense, it means other things of different kind; in a second sense, other things of the same kind. And John means many other things of the same kind. He deals with a perfect and consummate life.

"There was a fallacy in the old church by which Christ was deprived of a reasonable soul, but given a deity instead. But Christ had as perfect a body as we. He had a perfect intellect, a perfect mind. We have all an idea of God. So had Christ. What an interesting study would the human conscience of Christ afford. He knew to refuse the evil and choose the good. He learned through his conscience. He had the scriptures at his tongue's end, he could answer every question.

"At every point of the human career of Christ the Holy Ghost was present. He knew God through his conscience, through the scriptures, through the Holy Ghost.

"Not the sentimental, not the philosophical, not the logical, nor the speculative idea of God is expressed in the simple words that summed up the whole conception of God, which was Christ's. 'I keep His will.' In the week of his greatest crisis and trial he saw God the clearest, yea, though his vision was tear dimmed. Through the agony of the garden, through the strain of fulfilling His will. He did fulfill it.

"Christian lives have great crises, great black chasms, our bewildered, crushed lives fall when the crisis comes because we cannot say 'I know Him.'

HOW TO KNOW GOD.

"The only way to know God is to know God's will. God makes our lives full of lustre, and when the light shines through it, we perceive its richness.

The offertory was sung by Edward Thornton. The applicants for confirmation were then received at the chancel by the Bishop, who spoke simply and earnestly to them.

"This is an example," he said, "of Christ's saying, 'suffer the little children to come to me.' When you have taken your vows tonight go forth into the world determined to fulfill them. It weakens the moral character to be constantly taught what to do and not do it. If you get into the habit of knowing more than you actually live up to, it weakens your moral fibre.

THE CONFIRMED.

The confirmants were as follows:

Mrs. Asa L. White, Miss Marian Goodfellow, Miss Jacqueline Moore, Master Reginald V. Hassard, Master Melvin P. Stevens, Master Carl Farsland, Gustaf Fred Burg, George Adeler, Robert Lee Shepherd, Joseph Audrade, Edward J. Burg, Mrs. Eliza Rape, Miss Henrietta Smith, Miss Sarah R. Bull, Mrs. Lillian Stiefel, Edward S. Hough, G. M. Landsberg, Miss Eva Petty, Miss Clara Noble, Mrs. Josephine Burg.

The total number of confirmants since November is 66, the whole number in the past twenty-nine months, being the length of the present rectorate, 110.

"Drink a little wine (whiskey) for thy stomach's sake, and thine often infirmities." The famous old Jesse Moore Whiskey is the finest and best.

THE TRAMP PRINTER.

People are often surprised at the range of knowledge shown by the "tramp" printer, and do not reflect that the man who has spent fifteen or twenty years at the "case" setting up letter by letter and word by word the thoughts of the best minds of the world must absorb and retain some of them, especially since he is often obliged to study out the meaning intended in order to translate the hieroglyphics in which the said best minds delight to express themselves.

The worst "copy" generally comes from catalogue writers, their language being technical to the subject in hand, one word giving no clew to the meaning of the next, if it happened to be the same subject.

One of these tramp printers, whom we will call Mike (because that is not his name) had just spent three months in one of the big book printing offices in Louisville working on the annual catalogue of an electrical appliance concern, at the end of his engagement knew more about amperes, volts, ohms, armatures and resistance than the man who wrote the catalogue.

It was a cast-iron resolve when he went to work that he would stay sober and save his money as long as the job lasted. As he worked he evolved a scheme by which he would make a living easier than earning it, by "sucking type."

When the catalogue was completed and Mike and the other "extras" were paid off, he bought him a silk hat, a suit of clerical cut and a paste diamond and started out to work his scheme.

When he got off the train at a little town in Southwestern Indiana and had to walk a block to the hotel he kicked because there was no cab in waiting at the depot. A leading citizen, three small boys and the hotel proprietor (also porter) heard the kick and caught a flash of the big diamond, and inside of an hour the entire population knew that a great man had come among them.

The wise men of the village gathered that night in the hotel office to do Mike honor, and he mystified them by talking of armatures, ohms, volts, soft iron fields and alternating currents. This was a new and strange language to them, and they became interested and asked questions, which Mike answered like a man who knew it all. He said he was surprised to see a town containing so many brainy men shrouded in such utter darkness; a little city containing all the elements of greatness, set like a gem in a broad expanse of fertile prairie that laughed out great harvests of golden grain, yet throwing away its chance of prosperity by failing to recognize the onward march of science as it shoul by putting in electric lights. Then he grew confidential and hinted prospects of a new railroad that was to be built, and might, if the town showed a proper spirit of progress, make a terminal there. Then he stopped and looked wise and turned the conversation to electric lighting. The hint was enough for his hearers, and before the conclave adjourned it was decided to organize an electric company.

Mike said he was compelled to visit Louisville next day, and would get an estimate of cost from the manufacturers' agents and come back with a full report, saying that it was important that the plant should be running within sixty days, and he looked sly, at which the citizens grinned wisely.

In the city Mike got a thirty-five per cent discount on the machinery and a fifteen per cent promoter's commission, which latter was given to him in the form of a receipt for certain securities (which he never possessed) deposited in good payment for the machinery, thereby showing the citizen of the embryo city, that he had confidence in the enterprise. The receipt was to be redeemed in cash by the manufacturers when the plant was paid for, which they would hold it as a share in the enterprise, and Mike would have $750 cash as his commission for making the sale, which amounted to $16,000.

When Mike went back to the little burg, and told the wise men of the 35 per cent discount he had got for them because he was the friend of the manufacturers, and showed them his receipt for $750, pay by them to keep his friends from backing out, they decided that he, Michael, was the only real public-spirited man they had ever seen, and they then and there elected him vice-president of the new company and started to put up a building according to Mike's suggestions. Arrangements were made to hold a meeting of all the stockholders to sign the corporation papers.

Some two weeks later away-worn tourist who had been fired off a freight train some two miles out, was walking up the main street of the village in search of a place where he could make a "touch" when he spied Mike coming down the street in all the glory of a Prince Albert coat, silk hat and diamond.

"Shades of Guttenberg and Franklin! What are you doing here togged up like a Rothschild, and me with my tongue hanging out with thirst?"

"Silence, pride of my heart," said Mike, "the very walls have ears, and everybody in the town has ears, and everybody knows everybody's business. Follow me, 'bean,' and I'll lead you to a place where thirst is quenched."

"Lead on, Macduff. I'm d—d if I ever had enough."

In a little out-of-the-way place, down near the depot, Mike slipped into a side door, and the tourist followed. They sat down to a table that was soon graced with a couple of "schooners." Mike began to unfold the tale of the electric light plant, and as he drew near the end the conversation became closer and closer, until at the close the story became a mere stutter, hyphenated with schooners.

Night came. The night on which the corporation papers were to be signed, ready for the filing on the morrow. But Mike's tourist friend ever between swallows, asked questions about Mike's adventure, which made necessary more beer and explanation, and Mike's engagement was forgotten.

They never knew how it came about, but they woke up in a big box car that was being switched to one of the freight houses, and somehow, four days had dropped out of life's calendar for each of them.—Louisville Post.

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PICNICS AT SHELL MOUND PARK.
April 18—Portuguese Benevolent Society of Oakland.

UNION LABEL

WEDNESDAY..... APRIL 14, 1897

What a long time it takes the United States Government to officially learn that a state of war exists in Cuba!

The Church Militant still exists. Of the eleven prisoners taken during an engagement in Ecuador four were friars.

The "new burglar" has appeared. He breaks into houses but does not take anything. Half a dozen cases have been reported to the San Francisco police.

There is one charm that music hasn't got, and that is of paying salaries and expenses. The French opera season in San Francisco has closed with a deficit of $10,500.

Prison society is very exclusive. The murderers don't acknowledge the other convicts at San Quentin. They have their own little circle and they never stray beyond it.

Jerry Simpson is a man of extremes. A few years ago he took a delight in going sockless and now he is reported as parading around Washington in a pair of golf stockings.

It is somewhat surprising that a man whose life has been passed in a business supposed to enforce respect for the law should show such an utter contempt for it as does Detective Von Arnold.

Every city in the State can take a lesson in enterprise from Los Angeles just now. The fiesta promises to be one of the most notable events in the history of the State. That is the way to advertize a town.

Physicians at Kansas City recently removed part of a man's jaw that was three times its normal size. The patient was a barber and this shows how parts of the human frame can be developed by constant use.

The sugar men may yet bring about what Queen Lil could not accomplish. A bill has been introduced in the Senate abrogating the treaty with Hawaii and it is announced to be a declaration of war against the sugar trusts.

The members of the San Quentin band who serenaded Durrant with the Dead March will get the idea that they were unintentionally playing at their own funerals by the time the prison directors get through with them.

Tit for tat. America is enforcing the alien labor law and now Canada will give no employment on public works to any one but British subjects. A number of workmen from Seattle have just been turned down at Vancouver.

Judge Bundy of Indiana has established a dangerous precedent. He has ruled that conversation over a telephone will be permitted as evidence. There is too great an opening for fraud in such matters to make this good law.

In New York recently Flossie Carpenter, a young actress, committed suicide for love and in the same city a few days ago a girl was reported as torturing an infant until it had convulsions. And yet the East speaks of the "Woolly West."

The police have found a tramp-genius in San Diego. He finds out where a hotel proprietor comes from and who are his friends and then boldly claims old acquaintanceship. He played this trick at half a dozen places and is now under arrest for beating a board bill.

The oft-repeated warning against Japanese immigration has never been heeded, but that it was well timed is now being proved. At Watsonville the Japs have cut the rate for cleaning beets to $1 a ton, and the white laborers have been compelled to meet the figure or go without work.

As Turkey is known to be absolutely bankrupt, who is going to pay the expenses of the army of 100,000 to be put in the field. If the Greeks can play a waiting game for awhile after the troops are called out they will only have half-hearted warriors to contend with, for no pay and poor food will soon extinguish the very small flame of patriotism that burns in the Turkish breast.

There will be general rejoicing at the announcement that the San Pablo avenue cable line is to be replaced by an electric system. The reign of the cable was short. It only came into general use about sixteen years ago and no one would dream of building a cable line nowadays. This is just another little indication of the furious pace that progress is setting at the close of the nineteenth century.

Nobody will ever pay a fine in Marin County in future and it will be like getting an office to be sent to jail for contempt. The latest about the prison life of Col. Finigan is that he has been tendered a swell dinner by his host, the sheriff. Isn't it about time that this farce ended? Either make him a prisoner in the sense a poor man would be or else liberate him and not make a laughing stock of our penal institutions.

LOCAL PATRIOTISM.

The Ladies' Home Trade League is welcome. In a circular letter received by the Merchants' Exchange last night the new organization introduced itself and announced that its objects are to keep trade among the Oakland merchants and to provide weekly entertainments at which business men could advertize their special attractions.

This is the right kind of spirit. All the resolutions passed by the Board of Trade and Merchants' Exchange and all the arguments made by the newspapers form only the theoretical part of the situation, and all would be useless unless the shoppers undertook the practical end of it. The Ebell Society has already done a great deal in this direction, and now comes the Ladies' Home Trade League determined to carry on the good work.

That is the way to build up the town. The more money that is spent with our local merchants, the more varied and extensive will be the stocks they can offer for sale and it only needs a little local patriotism to get the thing started properly. The home establishments will give just as good, and in many cases better, bargains than can be obtained in San Francisco, so no argument can be advanced why the money should be taken away from Oakland and expended for the benefit of the storekeepers across the bay.

People who have consciences should be careful how they use them in these days when they are getting rare. Recently a man at Blairstown, Ind., had a fit. It was caused by an employe, who thirty-four years ago "had taken small quantities of money from the drawer, he knew not how much in all, but was sure that $10 would cover the whole amount, with interest, and enclosed a money order for that sum. He stated that he was very sorry he had stolen the money, and hoped to be forgiven and to meet him in a better world."

The employer very nearly started for the better world from the shock.

The Vallejo Chronicle is seriously in error. It says: "An insurance solicitor, desiring to get a quantity of cheap advertising caused a story to be published to the effect that he had written a policy on the life of Mrs. Stanford for $1,000,000. Mrs. Stanford lost no time in exposing the fake, and now that reckless agent is without honor or respect in this country. He staked his reputation to increase his income and has lost both, not alone this, but he has exhibited the fool that is in him."

Instead of being "without honor or respect," that agent can get a job anywhere except in Vallejo.

The editor of the Mountain Echo must have trouble in his establishment. What does he mean by this?

If a rich man robs a rich man, it is considered only a shrewd, social little game; and if a rich man robs a poor man, it's of little importance for the poor man can't lose much if he loses his all; but if a poor man robs a rich man it is a horrible crime, and the poor man goes up for a long term of years if not for a lifetime.

Who has he robbed? Recently the same paper published a paragraph about the absence of coin in the Angels Camp sanctum.

Chicago has an airship. The Inter-Ocean says: "It is well known in political circles that the ship was due in Chicago last night to carry away Carter H. Harrison from the clamorous crowd of office-seekers. He thought that a short loaf in the regions of clouds would put him in condition to meet the gang."

It is said that the prize fight kinetoscope negatives are spoiled, and very likely they will remain spoiled until the hostile legislatures adjourn. Then we shall expect to hear of some new development of photography that will promptly restore them.

A HAPPY FAMILY.

The Head of It Is a Veteran Who Knew Grant and Sherman.

W. C. Cubery, the veteran printer, writes the following pretty story in the Alameda Encinal:

It is a custom of mine on pleasant Sunday mornings to lay aside all care and wander at will over our beautiful town, so you see I am competent to decide what family is the happiest in Alameda. Now most of your readers would expect me to take them to some great mansion, surrounded by spacious grounds. No! happiness is not found among the wealthy. I have heard more laughter in one hour on the hill where the Protestant Orphan Asylum is located than I ever heard in years on envied Nob Hill. If the masses realized how little real happiness follows in the footsteps of the rich, their envy would turn into sympathy, for I say it, without fear of contradiction, the man who has his health, is free from bad habits and is not crushed with debt, is a happy man.

It was a strange way in which I found this happy family. I was on my way to Bay Farm Island—that abode of the exclusive families of Alameda—when just as I crossed the bridge I saw a giant of a man digging clams. He was an old soldier. Did you ever see an old soldier that was not sociable? Among other things he told me of this happy family, and of course I was anxious to see it. On the way to the house I learned he had been with Grant and Sherman. But Grant and Sherman, in all their glory, could not compare with the "style" of the head of this happy family. He wore a "full dress" uniform—for doubtless he remembered it was the Sabath Day—and he strutted about as if he was the only candidate in the field and sure of an election. Next I saw his wife, whom the soldier informed me weighs but half a pound, and bless the little thing, she put on more "airs" than her husband, for she had charge of nine little ones all her own. How they were cared for! No mother in Israel ever kept watch and ward with greater vigilance! This was not all her family, however, for she had a daughter who was absent; but before I left I had the pleasure of seing her. The bump of caution being developed in this young mother, she had taken the precaution to make her nest on the kitchen table and there she sat with becoming dignity patiently awaiting the result of her fidelity; and that young lady had a sister who had taken possession of the front parlor for the same laudable object!

Can you wonder that the old soldier and his wife are proud of the happiest family in Alameda. If you must have the name it is—H. C. Garlock's bantam family, and if I mistake not if anything should hapen to that little flock the old soldier and his good wife would be as sad and sorrowful as any household who had lost the joy of their heart.

ALONG THE COAST.

Randsburg is a disappointment to those who think the picturesque and the woolly are essential features of a mining camp. They are so prosaic in Randsburg that they even fine flamboyant citizens for disturbing the peace.

Patrons of the Santa Monica electric line are not enthusiastic in praise of the system of running cars that involves back-tracking three or four times every trip. It should not be difficult to arrange a schedule that takes some account of the location of switches.

While the outgoing San Diego Council has been endeavoring to plunge the city into an increased debt of $102,000 for an electric plant, the City Auditor has figured out the city expenses and receipts for the coming year, and concluded that there will be a deficit of at least $31,565.

The frequency of accidents to bicyclists on the streets of Los Angeles appears to be due to carelessness and inattention to the law of the road on the part of riders and of drivers of vehicles. The habit of riding between the tracks of trolley lines seems to be as general as it is reckless, and the only wonder is that more riders are not injured by collisions with cars.

The old-timers who announced that they would ride high wheels to Santa Monta yesterday weakened—all but four of them—and concluded that taking headers is not as much fun as it used to be. And how the high wheel men did jeer at the safety in its early days! The "ordinary" of a few years ago is quite extraordinary now, and it has fallen in value from $150 to two-bits.

The Council will meet this morning and as usual the question is being asked, what vetoes will the Mayor send in? The relations between the Mayor and the Council are such that nothing gives the Mayor keener delight than to disapprove measures passed by the Council, and nothing excites more extravagant joy in the hearts of the Councilmen than an opportunity to pass an ordinance, the objections of the Mayor to the contrary notwithstanding.

The progress made by the drill at the oil well has been very satisfactory the past few weeks, and the prospect of striking the fluid in paying quantities is now very bright. At a depth of 160 feet a two-foot vein of oil sand was struck; then at a depth of 185 feet a six-foot vein was encountered. The well is now down 280 feet and the last thirty-five feet the drill has been in oil sand, which is becoming softer and more porous as the drilling proceeds. As the oil seepage into the well is growing stronger, the gentlemen interested in the enterprise feel confident that oil in paying quantities is near at hand.—Escondido Advocate.

One steamer took out 120 tons, another 150 tons of San Diego County products yesterday. Allowing ten tons to a car, that is eighty-seven carloads, and in that form the output would look much bigger than it does when hustled off in two shiploads. Eighty-seven cars in this country is equal to about eight train loads, and an output of eight train loads a day would be accepted as quite a business.—San Diego Sun.

The Los Nietos Walnut Growers' Association handled 2,813,664 pounds of English walnuts, or more properly Madera nuts, of the crop of 1896. This brought in the very respectable sum of $156,905.80. This sum was realized from a little over 4,000 acres and is but a small fraction of the nut industry in Southern California. And the nut growing industry is yet in an infantile stage.—Redlands Citrograph.

The flow of water from Barker tunnel shows no signs of diminishing. The water contains sufficient sulphur to make it soft, though not enough to be noticeable to the taste. The presence of sulphur indicates that the flow will be permannt, for a sulphur spring was never known to go dry.—Santa Barbara Independent.

SHOOTING STARS.

"Mike," said Plodding Pete, "did you know dat dis here world keeps a movin' right along, 'round an' 'round?"

"Course. It's been doin' dat a long time," replied Meandering Mike.

"I wisht I knowed which way it's goin'."

"Fur woot?"

"I'd like to make a practice o' travelin' in der opposite direction, so's ter kind o' counteract de speed."

"Hiram," said Mrs. Corntossel, "I'm afraid our Congressman ain't makin' the impression at Washington that we expected."

"Why, he's made some fine speeches."

"I know that. But I don't see the newspapers goin' inter no conniptions about the kind o' clothes he wears."

As patient was his Lenten mood,
As any man could hope to make it;
He might have kept this fortitude
Had Easter bills not come to shake it.

"I guess I'll propose to Henrietta," said the young man, thoughtfully.

"I had supposed you admired Matilda most.'

"Oh, I do admire her ever so much. But I've got some poetry addressed to 'Marietta,—a young woman who married last month, and I'm afraid it would be a good deal of work to go through it and make it rhyme with Matilda."

"It's wonderful," said the man who is always earnest, "to see how they can develop the intellects of the lower animals. There is no telling how much we may be able to benefit them by systematic education."

"What sugested that idea?"

"A chimpanzee that I saw. He was once in a perfectly wild condition. Now they have by patient training taught him to chew tobaco, smoke a pipe, play cards and drink whisky!"

AS OTHERS SEE US.

Bart Morgan, who died in Oakland on Friday last, was one of the pioneer Republican voters of the State. The cause of his death was paralysis of the brain, and he had been a mere wreck for the past two years. It would have been a hard thing for a stranger to have gone in and looked at him as he lay in his bed for the past year, and realize that the poor, stranded hulk before him was at one time as shrewd and clear-headed a politician as there was in the State. He was a clerk in several legislatures and afterward held prominent places in the internal revenue department. There were all sorts of scandals flying about at one time and another, but none of them ever touched Bart Morgan. It was that which showed his shrewdness over a good many other contemporary politicians who were in a hurry to get rich. They came to grief and wound up badly, while Bart always enjoyed life as he went along till stricken down with his fatal malady.—Los Angeles Times.

It is to be hoped that Oakland will be successful in obtaining the Valley road terminus. Her business men are certainly working hard to get it, and as San Francisco does not appear to care whether the road goes there or not, they will probably be successful.—Alameda Encinal.

The latest matter of news in regard to the movements of railroad projectors in and about Oakland is that Saturday a party of men were in Berkeley looking over the ground between Point Richmond and the terminus of the San Pablo avenue cable line with a view of establishing an electric road to connect the two points. It is understood that plans to that effect are fast maturing and that sometime early this week the details of the undertaking will be made public.—Berkeley Gazette.

CUM GRANO RATIO.

When a Ness County, Kan., farmer runs out of meat, the Kansas City Star says, he steps to his door just before he goes to bed and lets go both barrels of his shotgun. The next morning he picks up enough jackrabbits to keep the pot boiling for a week.

The following is the daily ration of the animals at the Jardin des Plantes in Paris: Ten pounds of flesh for each lion, tiger and bear; seven pounds for the panther, three pounds to six pounds for the hyena, one pound for the wild cat, and two pounds for the eagle.

Careful weighing shows that an ordinary bee, not loaded, weighs the five-thousandth part of a pound, so that it takes 5,000 bees to make a pound. But the loaded bee, when he comes in fresh from the fields and flowers, loaded with honey or bee-bread, weighs nearly three times more.

Joseph Brosmore of Covington, Ky., is the owner of a wonderful sheep. The animal is eighteen months old, has five legs and six feet and is lively. The left side contains two shoulder bones in full growth, while on the other side there is no sign of such a bone, but instead there are two legs. On the end of the fifth leg it has two feet.

Few hunters have returned from the woods with more satisfaction than that felt by Miss Jennie Eliot of South Sebec, Me., who recently saw two deer grazing in her father's mowing field, and succeeded in getting an excellent photographic snap shot at them. In the picture one of the deer is in the attitude of leaping, all four of its legs being off the ground.

There are several specimen of rhinocerous which avoid an encounter with man, and will only fight when hard pressed or when their young are in danger. Others, however, and more particularly the keitloa, will attack man or beast simply to gratify their love of fighting. The lion never risks an encounter with a rhinoceros, save when absolutely necessary for his own safety, and it is but seldom the elephant cares to measure strength with him, for the larger animal is far less quick in his movements than the smaller.

One of the snake stories of antiquity is told of the Roman army under Regulus during the first Punic war. Its course was stopped near a small stream in Africa by a serpent sixty feet long, and the doughty Romans though not afraid of the Carthaginians, were dismayed by this African "varmint," which exceeded in size anything they had ever seen. Military engines were brought up, and the snake was destroyed. Its skin was sent to Rome and preserved there in a temple for over four hundred years.

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Letter No. 1.

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"Dear Sirs:—I want to say once more, Hood's Sarsaparilla is all you claim for it. I haven't had any sore or erysipelas since I used Hood's Sarsaparilla several years ago and was cured by it. I trust many may be benefited by Hood's Sarsaparilla as I have been. I recommend it highly as a blood medicine." MRS. M. J. HARTLEY, Lovett, Ga.

Letter No. 2.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is sold by all druggists. Price $1, six for $5.

Hood's Pills cure Liver Ills; easy to take, easy to operate. 25c.

TALK OF THE DAY.

A Chicago girl fell from her bicycle not long ago, and the man who helped her to remount has since become her husband. The tumbling habit may now be expected to spread with great rapidity.—Cleveland Leader.

It is a poor rule that won't work both ways. A Chicago man fell from his bicycle not long ago, and the wheelwoman who assisted him to rise has become his wife. Many Chicago men will doubtless fall off their bicycles when they hear of this incident.

She (petulantly)—Women occupying front seats in the theater who take off their hats show as much consideration for others as men do.

He—No, they don't. Don't you see that the men in the front row don't even wear hair on their heads?—Brooklyn Life.

The citizens of Cambridge, Mass., are talking about celebrating the tenth anniversary of the town's exemption from the liquor saloon, which will soon occur.

Mistress—Why, Mary, you have dated your letter a week ahead.

Maid—Yis'm; it will take over a week for it to get to me mother, and she wouldn't care to be reading old news, even from me.—Boston Transcript.

During the last twenty-five years about three hundred monuments to distinguished persons have been erected in France, and 127 committees are now collecting money for more.

Mrs. Korrect—You said you were going to a club smoker last night?

Mr. Korrect—Yes, my dear.

Mrs. Korrect—Didn't you make a mistake? You had every appearance of having attended a drinker when you reached home this morning.—Philadelphia North American.

The railroads west of the Missouri have agreed to give free transportation for the fifty carloads of grain which Iowa is going to send to India.

Willie—I told her my love was so great that my brain was on fire.

Charlie—What did she say to that?

Willie—Told me I had better blow it out.—Yale Record.

According to a cycling journal, the State of Missouri spent $600,000 for Supervisors in 1896 to oversee road work, the cost of which in itself was only $400,000; or, in other words, an expense of more than $1,000,000 was involved in getting less than $600,000 worth of work done.

Miss Mobile—Well, Martha, how is your husband now?

Martha—Po'ly, miss, po'ly. He's got that exclamatory rheumatism.

Miss Mobile—You mean inflammatory rheumatism, Martha. "Exclamatory" is to cry out.

Martha (with solemn conviction)—That's it, mum; that's it! He don't do nothing but holler!—Northern Christian Advocate.

Some one has figured out in a London paper that between thirty and forty millions sterling will be spent by the Queen's loyal subjects in securing windows and other points of vantage from which to watch her pass in the great procession of June 22d.

OLD TIMES.

Scene, the Ship of State.

Captain T. Corkervelt (recitative)—"My gallant crew, good morning!"

Chorus of government employees—"Sir, good morning!"

Captain—"I hope you are quite well."

Chorus—"Quite well; and you, sir?"

Captain—"I am in reasonable health, and happy to meet you all once more."

Chorus—"You do us proud, sir."

Orchestra—"Zum, zum."

Captain Corkervelt—"I am Assistant Secretary of this great navee."

Chorus—"And a right good assistant, too."

Captain:—

"You're very, very good;
I have made it understood
That I know a thing or two,
Though they put me in the papers
And accuse me of odd capers,
I kept my equanimitee.
They sought to make me nervous
With remarks on Civil Service,
Yet I never used a big, big D."
(Etc.)

"I'll try my best to satisfy you all."

Chorus:—

"That's a very hard thing to do;
You're exceedingly polite,
And we think it only right
To be quite sincere with you.
For, with you back in the traces
We expect to hold our places,
With salaries each year enlarged,
From the oldest to the latest,
From the smallest to the greatest,
We must never never be discharged!"

RHYMES OF THE DAY.

A Reversed Proverb.—

"Be good and you will be happy,"
Is a proverb that when understood
Means simply, by changing the wording,
"Be happy and you will be good."

The child laughs out in her gladness,
No burden of care does she know,
God knew that the child must be happy
In order to prosper and grow.

Health, we say, is the greatest of blessings,
More precious than beauty or wealth,
And the doctors unite in declaring
That happiness brings us good health.

So let us learn to be happy,
Nor yield to a sorrowful mood,
And let us remember the proverb:
"Be happy and you will be good."

—Annie E. Smiley in Boston Globe.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Mrs. Edward H. Lohmann is visiting in St. Helena.

Miss Carrie Evans of Fruitvale is the guest of Miss Nellie Corners of Santa Clara.

Charles Mann went to Los Gatos yesterday.

Walter Woods of East Oakland is spending the summer at Livermore.

Mrs. T. P. Hogan is in San Jose, where she is slowly convalescing from a severe illness.

R. M. Turner of this city visited Marysville looking after business interests.

J. E. Morris was registered at Seattle, Wash., last week, being on a tour through the northwest.

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Rev. W. E. Otter has gone to Concord on a visit.

Rev. F. J. Akers has returned from Vacaville.

Miss Lillie Harvey is visiting at Petaluma.

R. M. Turner of this city visited Marysville last week.

Mrs. J. W. Stevens left on a visit to Sacramento a few days ago.

Miss Margaret Bradley has returned from a visit in Suisun.

Mr. and Mrs. Whellock are in Madera, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dyer.

Miss Edna Comstock of this city is teaching in Tulare County, having charge of the Grapevine district school.

Mrs. H. Brown has returned from Suisun, where she has been staying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Meyer.

Mrs. S. G. Nye is staying with friends in Napa.

Mrs. Captain Haven is here from Napa, on a visit to friends.

Fred Campbell, ex-State Superintendent of Public Instruction, is staying in Phoenix, A. T.

Miss E. R. Farnham, Miss E. Chapman, Theodore de Laguna and E. L. Hood, have been appointed by the Graduate Club of the University, a committee of arrangements for the tug boat party of next Saturday.

St. Andrew's Society will give a reception to J. S. Collins Thursday evening at their rooms on Tenth street.

Mrs. J. G. Ressegue and Jennie Ressegue have returned to their home, 1267 Eleventh avenue East Oakland, after a pleasant visit to Kirksville, Mo.

Invitations are out for a charity assembly given by the Catholic Ladies Aid Society on Easter Monday evening, April 19th. Tickets and invitations may be procured from the members and at Reilly's drug store, Broadway and Twelfth streets. There will be a fine literary programme. The Hon. Frank Murasky of San Francisco will give an address. Miss Kate Burns of Berkeley, Mrs. Echlin, Miss Webber and the Athenian Quartette will assist in making the evening all that can be desired. As these entertainments are for the purpose of obtaining funds to distribute to the poor and needy, they are always well attended.

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Professor Howlson's Picture Causes Him Great Concern.

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The Local Scientist Says He Did Not Steal the Photo.

ALL BLAMED ON A PRINTER.

The U. C. Professor Does Not Want to Father the Article.

H D Hougham the local amateur scientist is feeling very uncomfortable Professor Howlson of the University is feeling just as uncomfortable as Mr Hougham

The mutual discomfort of these two gentlemen is caused by a picture that appeared on the front page of the Sunday edition of the Call a week ago It was a very good picture of Professor Howlson but under it was the inscription H D Hougham scientist of Oakland This discovery claims that he has found the mechanical why of gravitation whose existence Newton conceded with the confession that he could not establish its identity

Professor Howlson does not take offense at the use of his picture and although he objects to the name beneath it even that is not the greatest cause of his discomfiture Around the picture are three columns of matter that treat of many scientific problems in an entire new manner Although Professor Howlson has nothing to say regarding the opinions of Mr Hougham, he thinks that there are many people who will persist in connecting the scientific data with the well known features in the middle of them and this is a condition of affairs that he does not appreciate

HOUGHAM'S VIEWS

"I am innocent of the whole matter," said Mr Hougham today I supplied the article and I also sent my own picture with it How the mistake was made I do not know except that it was a mistake such as I am told is likely to occur in any newspaper office where a great number of cuts are used in every edition

Professor Howlson is very annoyed over the mistake but of course he does not blame me I did not willfully steal a loan of his face and of course I would sooner that my face had been in the middle of my own ideas, but regrets will avail nothing now

Although Professor Howlson is an old and well known scientist and I am but an amateur I am sure there is nothing in the article of which he need be ashamed even if the reader should retain an idea that the features in the cut are those of the man responsible for the article

I am going East tomorrow morning and shall lay my ideas and conclusions before several well known scientists and when I return I expect to have another laboratory When it is published however it will not be illustrated with another man's face As a matter of fact I am not at all ashamed of my own physiognomy"

Advent Christian Conference

The Advent Christian Conference of North ern California will be in session this week in this city Ministers and delegates from the various churches will be present This convention will hold its sessions in connection with the Advent Christian Church and the meet-

THE CUT HOUGHAM SENT.

ings now in progress at Epworth Hall which are led by Elder Miles Grant of Boston There will be three preaching services each day as follows At 10 30 A M, 3 30 P M and 8 P M

MRS. MILLS INDIGNANT

Many False References Made to the Historic College.

ANOTHER STORY DISPROVED.

Miss Jennie Vernon Was Never a Student at the Place.

HAS SUFFERED IN SILENCE.

Now the President Thinks It Has Become Necessary to Speak

A dispatch from Portland, Oregon was published this morning stating that Miss Jennie Vernon a graduate of Mills Seminary had mysteriously disappeared from the northern city It stated that the young woman's husband was Frank Cammon, who was brought home dead at Oakland, having been killed by a friend while hunting

The statements are incorrect in every particular There never was a young lady at Mills College named Vernon there was never an inquest held in this city on anybody named Frank Gammon and no one of that name has ever died in this city as shown by the Health office records, as also those of Mountain View Cemetery

It is high time that this practice of trying to make a story interesting by falsely associating it with Mills College should cease,' said Mrs Mills this morning 'For many years we have been annoyed by reading that all kinds of young women have been graduates from here As the number of our graduates grows so does the tendency of the unreliable news chronicler to use the name of Mills College whenever the opportunity offers

It is not only unpleasant to our graduates but it is an injustice to our institution Hitherto I have said nothing, preferring to ignore the many false references to us but this dispatch today convinces me that I am only doing my duty in speaking very plainly I have looked carefully over my records and I find that I have never had a young lady at the Seminary named Vernon I should have at once remembered the name but I have looked through my list to make myself doubly sure It is not at all surprising among all the hundreds of graduates that have gone out from this institution that there should be a few who have gained some notoriety but I do not object to the truth What I feel grieved at is that such frequent attempts to make a story interesting are made by reference to Mills College

Secretary Paul Schaffer of the Board of Health says that no death of a man named Frank Gammons has ever been registered in his office and the same statement is borne out by the records of the Morgue and Mountain View Cemetery

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NOT FOR BERKELEY.

The Contra Costa Water Company Will Not Go There.

Director R S Knight of the Contra Costa Water Company denies the statement made by a morning paper to the effect that the Contra Costa Water Company would supply water to Berkeley The Alameda Water Company is now supplying water to the University town and the proposition was that the Contra Costa Company take the main

I know nothing concerning the statements that appear in a morning paper said Mr Knight We do not intend to supply water to Berkeley unless the Town Trustees make us more favorable terms than they have at present It would be very expensive to lay pipes out there as we would be forced to go through a district where for a mile or more we would receive little or no patronage as there are no houses. The competition between the Contra Costa and Oakland Water Companies compels us to consider expenditure and I am certain that we will not expend so much money in laying pipes, etc, when there will be such small returns for the outlay."

Passion Week Services.

Rev J K McLean will preach this evening in the chapel of the First Congregational Church, on "The Perpetual Coming of the Lord." The public is cordially invited.

A "RACKET" OVER TENNIS

Stanford and Berkeley No Settled as to the Date of the Contest.

The Election of Manager of the Aid Society for Students.

BERKELEY, April 14—Another dispute between Berkeley and Stanford has arisen over the date of the tennis tournament The Stanford boys want to postpone the game until May 14th in order that Freeman, their crack player, who is also on the baseball team, may get through with that series of games before he begins on the tennis Magee and Allen are earnestly opposed to this arrangement, as it makes the game altogether too late in the term The dispute will be settled this week.

The Trustees Monday night decided that Dr. Koch's tuberculin test should be applied to all cows in Berkeley, and the ordinance is now in effect The town will pay the expenses of the examination, getting the tuberculin free from Washington. There are 800 cows in Berkeley and it is estimated that eighty will be killed

Poundmaster Lauterbach reported the capture of 112 dogs during March, of which eighty-nine were killed, eleven were redeemed, and twelve remain in the pound

Kimball & Easton received the contract for macadamizing Addison street

A meeting of the senior class of the University has been called for this afternoon by President McWade A plan is on foot to give a Wagnerian concert in connection with their commencement exercises and the musical geniuses are highly enthusiastic over the affair Anton Schott will aid the students

Manager Barnes has succeeded in persuading President Kellogg to excuse twenty-five track men from drill for the rest of the term There will be three more drill days

The Board of Directors of the Student's Aid Society have unanimously chosen W W Bristol to succeed himself next term as manager of the society An assistant has been engaged to take charge of the second-hand book department Students are requested to hand in their books, for sale before the close of the term in order that they may be catalogued before the beginning of next term

Bishop Nichols will preach the Easter sermon in St Mark's Church The anniversary of the vested choir will also be celebrated next Sunday

The Alumni Association of the Berkeley High School will hold a meeting at the High School next Friday evening at 8 P M at the call of President Clifford McClellan The election of new officers will be part of the programme

The Young Woman's Christian Association held its regular weekly meeting yesterday afternoon in Stiles Hall Miss Belle Richter delivered an interesting address in connection with the work of the society

WHERE HEROES SLEEP.

Shot and Shell That Have Their Place In History.

Ordnance Which Will Mark the G. A. R. Plot in Mt. View.

Cannon-balls to the number of 794 rolled from the decks of the steamer Umatilla down on the City Wharf this morning with a somewhat warlike rumble and the martial aspect of the otherwise peaceful wharf was increased by the presence of four brass mounted howitzers all brought down from the Mare Island Navy Yards for the purpose of decorating the Soldiers Plot in the Mountain View Cemetery

The guns and balls have come as a gift from the government obtained through the services of Senator Perkins, and more particularly of Representative Hilborn

Through the courtesy of Admiral Kirkland the Umatilla made a special trip for the purpose, leaving the Island at 7 30 o'clock this morning, and arriving at the wharf at 10 o'clock under command of Captain D Glynn and piloted by Captain P J Montague, of this city

The cannon-ball 700 of which are 9-inch shell and 84 of which are 12 pound solid shell were all in a large portion of them around Cape Horn in 1865 on the steamer Independence which is one of the guns has for the last forty years fired the 9 o'clock signal on that vessel which has served as a receiving ship in the Vallejo yards for that period

Two of the guns have been in Panama, but all the ships on which they have done service are gone except the Independence

The shells will be taken out to the Cemetery today under the direction of Superintendent Smith They weigh twenty eight tons making nine loads for the teamsters

Placing the shells in position around the Soldiers' Plot will form one of the most impressive features of the exercises on Memorial Day

In this connection it is an interesting fact that Captain P J Montague who piloted the Umatilla down this morning is one of the three survivors of the crew of the Independence when she rounded the Horn in 1865 and brought these very shells from New York to this State, and when Captain Montague's call sounds to answer the long roll he will rest with the same shell around him side by side with comrades who have gone before

THE MAYOR'S VETO

Mayor Thomas has vetoed the ordinance empowering the City Treasurer to employ extra clerks in his office to collect taxes etc and fixing the salary of such clerks at $100 a month The Mayor gives as a reason for his veto that the ordinance is indefinite and that $100 is 25 per cent more than he believes such clerks should be paid

THE WEATHER.

WEATHER FORECAST FOR 36 HOURS ENDING 5 P M, THURSDAY

Northern California—Fair tonight and Thursday except foggy on coast tonight, light variable winds.

Southern California—Fair tonight and Thursday except foggy on coast tonight, light variable winds

San Francisco and Vicinity—Fair tonight and Thursday, except foggy along the coast tonight brisk westerly wind in afternoon

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Forecast Official

The Stock Market

By Associated Press to The Tribune

NEW YORK April 14—The failure of the London market to respond to the sharp improvements here yesterday exerted a depressing influence which was intensified by heavy realizing in sugar that stock losing 1¾ Transactions in sugar were of enormous volume

Round amounts of sugar and Chicago gas were offered depressing these shares Vanderbilt shares moved narrowly and displayed considerable resistance to the selling movement The reactionary movement was stemmed after 11 o'clock by the demand from the shorts The market however lapsed into dullness at the improvement The bond market held generally firm with trading only meagre.

Chicago Grain

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, April 14 —Wheat, April 68¼, May, 68¼ Corn, April, 23½, May, 23¾ Oats, April 16, May, 16½. Pork, April, $5 25, May, $5 27½ Lard, April $4 10, May, $4 15@4 17½ Ribs, April, $4 60, May, $4 60@4 62½ Flax, 74 Timothy, $2 65. Rye, 32½ Barley, 23@33.

Chicago Sheep

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, April 14.—Native sheep, $3 24@$4 10; westerns, $3.70@$5; lambs, $3.75@$6.

FEAST OF PALMS.

No Such Festival Is Known in the Episcopal Church.

THE VIEWS OF REV. DR. LAW.

No Reference Made to the Day in the English Prayer-Book.

APING A ROMAN PRACTICE.

Sharp Words for Brothers of the Cloth Who Observe the Day.

At the Church of the Advent East Oakland Monday night Rev Dr Law delivered the following address explaining why he had made no reference to the preceding day as Palm Sunday and criticising other Episcopal clergymen for their making use of palms in the decoration of their churches on that occasion

In answer to many inquiries addressed to me personally since Sunday I wish to give you some points for your study and consideration

This Church of the Advent did not make any mention of Palm Sunday nor decorate with palms because we are not engaged in helping the Romanists to promulgate their peculiar teaching and Palm Sunday and all that grows out of it is a purely Roman institution

The Church of England and the American Episcopal Church which is a daughter of the former does not know such a Sunday as Palm Sunday That name is not once mentioned in any English prayer book, or in the American prayer book nor is there a lesson appointed to be read, nor an epistle or gospel which gives the slightest authority for giving prominence to the palms used in strewing the path of Christ in his triumphal entry into Jerusalem

You may have fancied that it is in some sense an Anglican observance, but it is not You may go as far back as the prayer book of Edward the Sixth in 1549 the first book printed in English, and you will nowhere find Palm Sunday even remotely alluded to. The fact is that the Protestant world has been caught napping and have thoughtlessly been surprised into helping the Roman Catholics promulgate their peculiar and unwarranted ideas

Then, when you come to think of it, what is there about the palms which should make it at all suitable to elevate them into such prominence as was given them by some of our Oakland and city Episcopal Churches yesterday They even went so far as to decorate with them in some of the churches and the clergy alluded to the day as Palm Sunday when it is everywhere in this Anglican Communion known as the Sunday next before Easter This latter is a name of honor The palms were only used to strew the road along with the garments of the people on that Sunday and they shouted Hosanna Otherwise no significance attaches to the palms

Just as appropriately call it Garment Sunday, or better Hosanna Sunday How it must please the wily Romanists to see that this and of theirs is aped by the protestant churches of Christendom in direct opposition to the teachings of the prayer books of the churches known as Anglican! Now, you know why we did not have a Palm Sunday observance It is because we are not Romanists, nor even should we be by to make people forget that we are very much different from the Roman Church The Romans may go on with their nonsense about Palm Sunday, but we shall never be a party to that foolishness until his church of ours authorizes us to substitute some other name for the one she teaches, viz the 'Sunday next before Easter'"

JUMPED OVERBOARD.

An Unknown Suicides in the Bay on His Way From San Francisco

A young man jumped overboard from the deck of the narrow gauge ferry boat Bay City of the Alameda line from San Francisco last night He made the jump just opposite Goat Island An alarm was given and a boat lowered but no trace of the suicide could be found Louis Clement of 101 Adeline street, the city was an eye witness to the death Up to a late hour this afternoon the case had not been reported at the Oakland morgue

The professional spinster must prepare to be torn between her devotion to her tutelary familiar and her dread of the inimical bacillus Cats have been pronounced to be among the most ubiquitous distributors of germs

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SOME NEW ENTERTAINMENTS.

Various Subjects Discussed by the Merchants' Exchange.

The directors of the Merchants Exchange held quite a lengthy meeting in the rooms of the organization in the Central Bank building last evening

In the absence of President Witcher, Vice-President Arper presided

Those present were Jno Glee F Sinclair, G W Keep J J W Sohst H Tum Suden G T Hutchins D C Brown F M Drew H H C Cowart G W Arper W W Knickerbocker E E Bunce, O B Tanneyhill J M Schleuter H C Cushing F C Howe H. Gaird F C Champlin and Mr Walker

The first matter brought up was the controversy between the Exchange and Judge Waymire Secretary Prince has been investigating all old judgments against the Judge and reported that he had found such judgments to the extent of $2 000 Judge Waymire's answer which has been published in the papers, to the attack made upon him by the Exchange was read

The trouble arose out of the bill to garnishee the wages of public officials which was killed in the Assembly and which Judge Waymire advocated to not only have voted against but also to have used his influence against it As a reason for Judge Waymire's stand in the matter the merchants say that he himself would have been affected by the bill

It was stated that the matter against Judge Waymire had all been forwarded to the California delegation in Washington On motion of Director Sinclair the secretary was instructed to forward the information direct to President McKinley

GOING TO McKINLEY

"When he gets it" said Mr Sinclair, "President McKinley will feel honored at having ridden two hours with James A Waymire

"I know this I know it is a very unpleasant thing to do, began Mr Arper but——

"I think it is a very pleasant thing" interrupted Mr Brown

While the secretary is looking up these things said W W Knickerbocker I would suggest that he look up Judge Waymire's connection with the Royce defalcation in the Yountville home matter General W H L Barnes can throw some light on the subject

Mr Riordan's objections to the matter of allowing contractors to do street work on Eleventh street when he was not allowed to work on Fifteenth street was taken up and Secretary Prince explained that there must be some misunderstanding between Mr Riordan and Superintendent Street Miller No further action was taken in the matter

THE PROPOSED ROAD

The report of the Committee of the Whole on the proposed new road into Contra Costa County was then taken up Mr Witcher was chairman of the committee, but in his absence the chair asked who had the most to say on the excursion last Sunday He was answered that Messrs Sohst and Coward had such ideas about equally divided and a compromise was effected by asking Mr Wixson to make the report

I went with the other members of this Exchange over the new road for the first time Sunday The grade is in good condition and the road is in splendid condition A very few dollars would be all that would be necessary to work out the road and widen it in the places needed The road is now in such condition that we may go to Mr Adams and ask him for the right of way through his property I would like to see a committee appointed tonight to confer with Mr Adams and then go to the Supervisors and ask for an appropriation I would like to see the road completed before they begin hauling their crops After that road is completed it will be one of the finest drives in this State It is hard to realize that we have that beautiful country so near at hand The whole road can be seen from a distance From the race track it looks like a beautiful panorama I believe in a short time the Supervisors of Contra Costa County will take hold of their side of the road and we will have a magnificent driveway between here and Lafayette I don't know what could be better for Oakland and if I owned Oakland the road would be built tomorrow I believe if the Merchants Exchange owned Oakland the road would be built as soon If we as business men feel that way I see no reason why the Supervisors should not make the appropriation of four or five thousand dollars

Director Brown agreed with Mr Wixson in everything that that gentleman had said but he thought some difficulty would be experienced in the matter of going before the Board of Supervisors

"I am thinking about Clark's road law, which deprives us of the general road fund If that law is constitutional we will have to wait two years before we can do anything There were thirty-five people on the new road into Contra Costa County last Sunday and every individual there was enthusiastic over the prospects of opening up the Kennedy grade If we just think of the thousands of acres of territory that will be opened up by such a road we can realize the benefits of such an undertaking

MAKING ROADS NOW

Mr Wixson wished to know if the Supervisors had not the power to replenish the general road fund and Mr Brown explained that under the new law, such improvements would have to be paid out of the road district fund Mr Brown said that it had been the custom of the Supervisors to set aside some 30 per cent of the funds for a road fund to be used for the best interest of the county He said Supervisor Mitchell was as enthusiastic as any one at the prospects of having the new road on the excursion last Sunday.

Mr Reed wanted to know if there was not some time before Clark's road law went into effect and Mr Brown answered that it would take effect sixty days after passage

Mr Arper suggested that, as the new directory of the Exchange would be elected on May 5th the matter of rushing the road through be laid over till the new members were elected

MR SOHST SPEAKS

Mr Sohst then spoke on the prospective road question

"There is an old saying," said he, "oh what a difference in the morning" I'm glad that the morning brought no change in the enthusiasm of the members who were on the excursion Sunday I say by all means appoint a committee and don't wait for another directory That road certainly ought to be built inside of three months What if there is no money in the general road fund The Merchants' Exchange goes ahead at a fearful rate at times Two years ago we raised for a Fourth of July celebration $6 000 over $2 000 of which went up in smoke on Lake Merritt If the Board of Supervisors has not the money to build that road why can't we raise the money San Francisco people are doing everything to attract people over there They are now putting $20 000 into a boulevard Compare that boulevard with what our proposed road will be and see what you will get"

Mr Sohst then spoke of the way people would come to Oakland in preference to going elsewhere if the proper drives could be furnished He said when Mr Reed came to Oakland he stopped at the Galindo Hotel Ben Wright took him out for a drive through the Oakland streets and it was that, more than anything else, that induced Mr Reed to locate here Mr Reed continued Mr Sohst was responsible for the Ebell building and other such improvements

Continuing Mr Sohst gave an outline of the benefits that would accrue from such a road The eighteen mile drive at Monterey he said, was known the world over He was willing to submit to anyone the question whether the proposed road would not surpass the Monterey drive He said the road which the Exchange had already succeeded in having built had saved many lives as the old Dingee road was responsible for more than one death By its steep grades

Mr Brown spoke in favor of having a committee appointed whether the Supervisors had any money to spend on the matter or not, and Mr. Sohst moved that a committee of five be appointed by next Tuesday evening

Mr Reed spoke in favor of the road and said that eight cents a person in the city of Oakland would more than pay for the road

Mr. Walker again brought up the new road law and said it would run through the land of the Chabots, the Quinns the Kohlers and Mr Dingee and on motion of Mr Sinclair Mr Dingee, Mr Adams Victor H Metcalf and Supervisor Roeth were invited to be present at the meeting of the Exchange next Tuesday evening

The following circular from the Ladies Home Trade League addressed to the merchants and business men of Oakland and Alameda County was read

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"Having just pride in our county with its rich productions, its fair townships, and our own city, the center of this fertility, we do hereby agree to unite in an organization to be known as the Ladies' Home Trade League Oakland, Alameda County California We believe the money of its citizens should be expended within our own borders thereby increasing the capital of our city and county and the thriftiness of our people

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We believe the thrift so gained by our city and county would be an inducement for the increase of manufacturing interests The objects of this association shall be the keeping of trade in our city and county to secure the co-operation of the merchants, tradesmen, and all residents of the county to prevent the present custom of a large proportion of our population purchasing their household supplies clothing and varied articles of necessity and comfort in San Francisco quality and prices being equal

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We believe much good will accrue from these weekly gatherings, not only attracting the people to purchase goods to obtain tickets but will keep the question of home purchasing in an agitation and serve as an opportunity to create a spirit of pride among our people for their own county"

Directors Wixson Cushing and Fish were appointed a committee to confer with the ladies and to report back at the next meeting

O B Tanneyhill of the firm of Kelley & Tanneyhill proprietors of the Osage Well Manufacturing Company spoke as regards establishing a company for manufacturing purposes here He has a fine reputation in Waterloo and the secretary was directed to give him aid in securing concessions for sites etc E E Bunce also spoke in favor of Mr Tanneyhill's proposition

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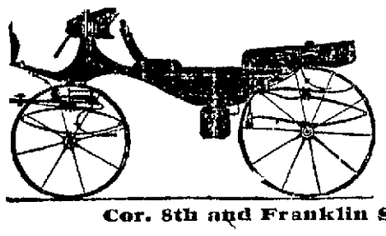

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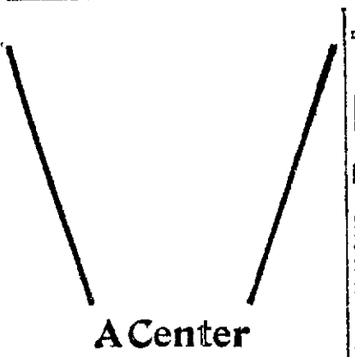

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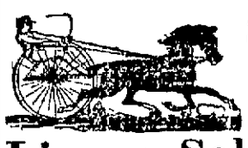

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

Proceedings of Adjourned Regular Meeting of the Board of Supervisors, Monday, April 12, 1897.

The Board of Supervisors met at 10 o'clock A. M.

The roll was called and all members found to be present.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

RELIEF TO INDIGENTS.

The following persons made application for relief:

TO SUPERVISOR CHURCH.

Mrs. Mary Johnson, 1258 Cypress street, age 20 years, native of California, married, no children.

Susan Collins, 519 Twenty-first street, age 74 years, native of Ireland, widow, with one child.

Josephine Green, 931 Campbell street, age 43 years, native of West Indies, married, no children.

Mrs. Rosa Gabriel, 762 Seventh street, age 39 years, native of Chili, widow and two children.

TO HOSPITAL COMMITTEE.

Matilda Miller, Seventh and Clay streets, age 47 years, native of Canada, widow and one child.

TO SUPERVISOR TALCOTT.

Alfred Strong, Melrose, California, age 56, native of California, married and five children.

REPORT OF JUDICIARY COMMITTEE.

The Judiciary Committee reported favorably upon the following applications:

Amanda M. Ayers, J. A. P. Barracks, A. H. Grugged and H. J. Murphy, and thereupon appropriate resolutions were introduced and adopted granting to each of said parties permits to obtain a license for the sale of liquors.

REQUISITIONS.

Were received from W. H. Knight, Public Administrator, for expense of accounts. Deferred to Printing Committee.

From Chas. H. Spear, County Recorder, for certain stationery and printing. Granted.

REPORTS OF COUNTY AND TOWNSHIP OFFICERS.

Reports were received from R. T. Streatfeild, surgeon and physician of Peralta Hospital, showing patients admitted 65, patients died 1, paid out-door 1, County Infirmary 1, patients discharged 51, patients remaining March 31, 2, total number of services 195.

From Wm. Berry, Horticultural Commissioner, showing incoming and outgoing nursery stock since last report 102,215, total for season 562,564.

Total number of certificates issued 383.

AWARD OF CONTRACT—BRIDGE ACROSS UNION STREET NEAR SAN PABLO AVE.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Mitchell:

"Resolved, That the bid of Henry J. Wahler, to construct a bridge across Union street near San Pablo avenue, and in Bay Road District, for the sum of $165, be and the same is hereby accepted, same being the lowest bid presented, and the contract for the construction of said bridge be and the same is hereby awarded to Henry J. Wahler, with the understanding that the said bridge be completed within fifteen days from this date."

The roll was called and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Roesh, Wells and Chairman Talcott—5.

Noes—None.

WIDENING OF HIGH STREET.

A petition was received from A. G. Nye, Delia M. Sweetman and Walter H. Ellerd protesting against the widening of High street to sixty feet or any other width beyond the original design.

Statements were made by Messrs. Nye, Ellerd, Sweetman and Talcott, after which further consideration was postponed until the next meeting.

EXTENSION OF HIGH STREET.

The petition of Sherman, Clay & Co. and 40 others asking that High Street be graded from the old county road to the end of the street as now opened was next brought up for consideration.

Messrs. Borland, Boehmer, Brannan and others addressed the Board, plans showing the proposed improvements were discussed, after which the matter was postponed until the next meeting, when further consideration will be had.

PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS FOR BRIDGE ON COUNTY ROAD NO. 1533.

The Clerk stated that he had received plans and specifications for the construction of a 45-foot steel truss bridge and approaches thereto on County road No. 1533.

REPORTS OF PORTUGUESE AID SOCIETY ON CASTRO REFERENDUM.

The Portuguese Aid Society, to which had been referred the applications of Rosa Alves, 909 Twentieth street, and C. C. Nunes, 973 Twenty-fifth street, reported that they were in needy circumstances, and thereupon the same were referred to Supervisor Roesh.

AID FOR ORPHAN CHILDREN.

The application of Mrs. C. Reno for the allowance of aid to the amount of $6 for each of six children was read and referred to the Hospital Committee.

ROAD NO. 2396.

Resolution rescinding resolution directing District Attorney to institute proceedings to condemn.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Talcott:

"Whereas, The Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda, State of California, in a regular meeting of said Board held in the Hall of Records, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, on this 5th day of April, 1897, did by an order of said Board then and there duly made, order that the District Attorney of said County of Alameda proceed at once to institute proceedings to procure the right of way for that certain public highway in Brooklyn Township, County of Alameda, State of California, described as follows, to-wit:

"Beginning at a point at the westerly terminus of Mosdale avenue and in the center line of said Mosdale avenue, said beginning point being on the southeasterly line of lands of Sarah R. Yoakum S. 50½ degrees W. 10.12 chains distant from the most eastern corner of said lands of Sarah R. Yoakum, and running thence over the lands of said Sarah R. Yoakum N. 39¾ degrees W. 15.37 chains to the easterly line of Yoakum avenue at a point S. 50½ degrees W. 7.40 chains distant from the most northern corner of the lands of Sarah R. Yoakum, being the terminus of said road. Length of said road 15.37 chains. Width of said road 50 feet. Area of land taken for said road 1.17 acres.

"Across the lands claimed by said Sarah R. Yoakum as provided in Title VII, Part III, of the Code of Civil Procedure of California.

"And Whereas, It appears that said Sarah R. Yoakum is willing to accept the sum of four hundred and ninety-eight dollars, the same being the amount set apart in the Treasury of the County of Alameda out of the proper fund to be paid to the said Sarah R. Yoakum as the award to her for damages for the establishment of said highway across her lands.

"Now, therefore, for reason of the premises aforesaid, it is ordered that the aforesaid resolution directing the District Attorney to institute proceedings be and the same is hereby rescinded."

The roll was called and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Roesh, Wells and Chairman Talcott—5.

Noes—Wells and Chairman Talcott—5.

Noes—None.

CANCELLATION OF LIQUOR PERMITS.

D. Greenhagen and A. D. Sherry petitioned the Board to have permits issued cancelled, owing to the Board of Supervisors having lost jurisdiction over the Town of Emeryville on and after Dec. 7, 1896.

So ordered by unanimous vote.

FRIER PIDDLEMT'S LICENSE.

Thomas Sullivan and Geo. W. Hambleton applied for free license in accordance with provisions of County Government Act.

The first named applicant was referred to Supervisor Roesh and the last named to Supervisor Mitchell with power. After due consideration the applications were posted on favorably, after which applications were granted and the Clerk directed to notify the Auditor.

ROAD NO. 2396—RESOLUTION ORDERING $150 TO BE PAID TO SARAH R. YOAKUM.

The following resolution was introduced:

"Whereas, J. Tyrrell has heretofore paid into the County Treasury to the credit of the Brooklyn Road District Fund the sum of $150, to be used in the payment of damages incurred in the opening of proposed road No. 2396.

"And Whereas, It was agreed in open Board, both by said J. Tyrrell and Sarah R. Yoakum, that if said sum of $150 is paid to said Sarah R. Yoakum as additional damages over the amount already allowed her on March 15, 1897, for the opening of said road across her premises, that she will consent to accept the same and open said road.

"Now therefore it is Resolved, That the sum of $150 be awarded to Sarah R. Yoakum for additional damages on account of proposed road No. 2396, and that the sum of $150 be transferred from the Brooklyn Road District Fund to the Road Damage Fund, and the Auditor be authorized to draw his warrant favor of Sarah R. Yoakum and out of the Road Damage Fund for the sum of $150, and the Treasurer to pay the same when presented."

The roll was called and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Roesh, Wells and Chairman Talcott—5.

Noes—None.

RECESS.

The Board then took a recess until two o'clock.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Board reassembled at 2 o'clock. The roll was called and all members were found to be present.

LEVELLING AND GRADING OF GROUNDS AROUND LAKE AT INFIRMARY.

The following resolution was introduced:

"Resolved, That the chairman of the Hospital Committee be and he is hereby authorized by the Board to employ men and teams by the day to level and grade the grounds at the County Infirmary on the northerly and easterly sides of the lake."

The roll was called and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Roesh, Wells and Chairman Talcott—5.

Noes—None.

CONCRETE WALL AT OLD DAM, COUNTY INFIRMARY.

The following resolution was introduced:

"Resolved, That E. B. Stone be awarded the contract to build a concrete wall through the old dam, the price per cubic yard of concrete work to be $6.25. The concrete to be composed of one part of Alsitine cement to seven parts of rock and gravel, and that for the excavation and refilling necessary the sum of $65 be paid to said E. B. Stone.

"That the work be done under the direction of the County Surveyor, and bill when presented shall be certified to by the County Surveyor."

The roll was called and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Roesh, Wells and Chairman Talcott—5.

Noes—None.

ABSTRACTS OF MORTGAGES.

A communication was received from Chas. H. Spear, County Recorder, and with it was presented an opinion by the District Attorney relative to the abstracting of mortgages.

Thereupon the opinion of the District Attorney was read, wherein he stated that assistance could be furnished, and in which he quoted the decision of the Supreme Court in the case of San Luis Obispo v. Phelps, 104 Cal., p. 67, viz.:

"If a law is in existence at the time an officer is elected which gives him a certain compensation for performing a certain service, it is in violation of the Constitution to pass a subsequent law under which he is compelled to perform the same services oftener than before, for although the gross income of the office may thus be increased in the sense of the Constitution, the rule is the same first and last, i. e. a certain sum for a certain service, compensation in proportion to duty, the very rule which it was the design of the Constitution to establish."

APPOINTMENT OF CLERK TO TRANSCRIBE ABSTRACT OF MORTGAGES FOR ASSESSOR.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Mitchell:

"Resolved, That the County Recorder be and he is hereby allowed an assistant in the transcribing of the abstract of mortgages at a salary of $100 per month, and the Board hereby appoints F. W. James to said position, and appointment to take effect from and after this date."

The roll was called and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Wells and Chairman Talcott—4.

Noes—Supervisor Roesh—1.

EXPEDITION OF WORK OF BOARD.

A resolution was introduced by Supervisor Wells looking to the systematic and expeditious consideration of the work of the Board. Laid over until next meeting.

ROCK CRUSHER TEDEMONT AND CLAREMONT ROAD DISTRICTS.

A resolution was introduced by Supervisor Roesh providing for the purchase of a rock crusher for use in Piedmont and Claremont Road Districts.

After the reading of the resolution Supervisor Roesh moved the adoption of the resolution. No second. Supervisor Roesh then discussed the resolution and desired that it be paid out of the General Road Fund. No action was taken on the resolution.

PAYMENT ON CLAIM OF COTTON BROS. & CO., INFIRMARY RESERVOIR.

The following resolution was introduced:

"Resolved, That the claim of Cotton Bros. & Co., filed April 3, 1897, amounting to the sum of $1,985.40, which claim has been duly approved by a majority of the Auditor and Finance Committees, said claim being for furnishing material and labor for and constructing heavy sheet pile bulkhead at the County Infirmary Lake, including pile and rod anchorage (180 lineal feet bulkhead at $11.03 per lineal foot) be and the same is hereby allowed and ordered paid out of the County Infirmary Fund, and the Clerk of this Board is hereby directed to notify the Auditor to draw his warrant favor of Cotton Bros. & Co., for the amount of said claim of $1,985.40 and out of the County Infirmary Fund, and that the Treasurer pay the same when presented."

The roll was called and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Wells and Chairman Talcott—4.

Noes—Supervisor Roesh—1.

AUTHORITY AND CONTROL OF WEBSTER STREET BRIDGE.

Supervisor Wells he had called on Superintendent A. D. Wilder of the S. P. Co.

That the matter of the control of the Webster street drawbridge had been considered. That Mr. Wilder had referred the matter to J. G. Frazier, Superintendent of Division.

RECEIVING HOSPITAL, ALAMEDA.

District Attorney Snook reported relative to the petition of Joseph Nordtvedt and others for the establishment of a Receiving Hospital in the City of Alameda. After quoting from the decisions rendered, etc., he suggested that if the Board in their discretion saw fit to establish a Branch County Hospital for the indigent sick in the City of Alameda, permission might be granted said city to use the same for the purpose of receiving parties who are injured, under such terms and regulations as the Board of Supervisors might see fit to impose."

Permission was then granted petitioners Forderer and others to withdraw their petition.

OBSTRUCTION McNALLY ROAD.

The attention of the Board was called to the existence of a gate across road, Rev. J. H. McNally protested against its being allowed to remain, calling attention to the fact that it was a public road and one traveled by the public and legally opened to public use and enjoyment.

Upon motion duly made, seconded and carried, Road Commissioner Talcott was directed to have gate removed at once.

REPORT OF ROAD AND BRIDGE COMMITTEE.

Concerning construction of bridge across Arroyo Mocho and directions to Clerk to advertise.

The Road and Bridge Committee presented the following report:

"The Road and Bridge Committee desire to report in the matter of the construction of a bridge across the Arroyo Mocho creek in Pleasanton Road District, that plans and specifications have been submitted by the County Surveyor, which we recommend be adopted by this Board and suggest that the Clerk be directed to advertise for bids for the construction of said bridge in accordance with the plans and specifications, the contract to be let to the lowest responsible bidder.

"CHAS. ROESH,
"JOHN MITCHELL,
"T. D. WELLS,
"Road and Bridge Committee."

After due consideration, Supervisor Roesh moved that the report of the committee be adopted. Seconded by Supervisor Wells.

The roll was called and the report adopted by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Roesh, Wells and Chairman Talcott—5.

Noes—None.

ALLOWANCE OF BILLS.

Supervisor Church moved that rule 4 be suspended and the following bills, which had been favorably reported upon by the Auditing and Finance Committee, be allowed and ordered paid, and that the same be paid to the persons whose names are hereinafter given in the amounts stated and out of the funds mentioned. Seconded by Supervisor Wells, and carried by unanimous vote.

County General Fund—William Barry, $84; J. R. Lankfree, trustee, assignee Artistic Life Co., $42; same, trustee, assignee Mollie E. Conners, $15; same, trustee, assignee Peter Delpot, $12; A. D. Pryal, $96; Charles Booth, $59.80; J. R. Taylor, assignee J. R. Taylor, $18.50; E. Weidler, assignee J. F. Croom, $114.50.

County Infirmary Fund—Anspacher Bros., $87; Geo. Bock & Co., $37, $37; D. H. Burns & Co., $78; Cotton Bros. & Co., $1,985.40; Heagerty & Co., $27; Joseph Herrscher, $24.50, $21.50; Hortcultural Bros., $43; J. R. Lankfree, trustee, assignee M. Holmes & Co., $5; Martin & Crowe, $5; G. L. Merrill, $15, $12; Foorman & Maxwell, $8; Alfred Fy, $4.

Road Damage Fund—Sarah R. Yoakum, $150.

ADJOURNMENT.

There being no further business to transact, the Board adjourned to meet April 26, 1897, at 10 A. M.

J. R. TALCOTT,
Chairman Board of Supervisors.
Attest: Frank C. Jordan, Clerk.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

DEEDS.

TUESDAY, APRIL 13, 1897.

Oakland Bank of Savings to Geo. H. Rowland, S W-5th st 50 E Lewis st E 50 x S 113 being lots 24 and 25 blk G, Bay View Hd; $3,100.

John C. Wilson to Agnes Wilson, S 21st or Hobart st 678-6 W Telegraph av S 220 W 37-6 N 222-3 E 37-6 to beg; gift.

Alexander McBean and Jennie V. Culver to Albert V. Bills, N Brown or 34th st 595.95 W Telegraph av W 42 x N 119-10 being portion lot 22 on map B, map of portion estate A. C. Brown; $10.

Albert V. Bills to Mary A. Bills, same; $10.

O. S. and Louise C. Potter to Vesta M. Colby, All interest in lots 11 to 18, blk G; lots 10 to 20 blk I; lots 10 to 13 blk U; all of blks V, W and X; lots 10 to 21 blk J; lots 13 to 17 blk Q; also that tract of land bounded on the N by S line of lots 12 to 17, 20 and 21 blk J; E by W lines of lots 11 to 17 blk W; S by N lines lots 1 to 8 blk W; W by E line lots 9 to 19 blk M, and lot 20 blk J; also on the W by E terminus of Lily st. All being in the Roberts and Wolfskill tract map 3; grant.

Annie W. and W. G. Duhig to August Denevi, S Minna st 349.1 E Telegraph av E 26 x S 100 being the E ½ lot 24 Linden Hd; $10.

Oakland B. & L. Assn to Caroline P. B. Story, N Hilgard av 82.547 E Arch st E 40 x N 110 being portion lots 1, 2 and 3 blk 5, corrected map Daley's Scenic Park tract; $10.

Henry W. Taylor to Maurice Wurts, lots 36 and 37 blk 6, amended map Central Park, Alametraz and Newbury stations, QCD; $10.

H. C. Morris to Annie A. Mawer, wife W. H., lot 15 blk 10, Warner tract; $10.

Andrew Nielsen to Jos. and Bertha Raymond, lot 10 blk 34, same; $10.

Same to same, W Olive st 141 S Bay View av S 50 x W 150, being lots 11 blk 24, same; $10.

Thos. M. Quackenbush to Esther E. Swortfiguer, lots 1 to 7, blk 14 of Stratton's survey of Alameda; gift.

A. W. Kennedy, by sheriff, to Frank A. Gummer, all interest in Railroad av 101-6 W Peru or 16th st W 32 x S 207, being potn blk 25, town of Encinal $1500.

Frank A. Gummer to John F. Kennedy, same; $10.

John Stewart, assignee of Wm. Smith (insolvent), to Wm. and Mary Lawrence, lots 8 and 9 Lawrence tract Haywards, QCD; $40.

John and Sarah S. B. Yule to Daniel Best, N Brown st 116-3 E Market E 50 x N 120-3, lot 30 blk L, Central Land Co., subjt to a mtge for $1000; $10.

Francis J. and Dell C. Woodward to Ervin S. Chapman, E Filbert 185.17 S W-16th st S 50 x E 125, ptn lots 3, 4, blk 591, Galindo tract, subj to a mtge for $1000; $10.

Christen Larsen to Moritz Silverman, N E-11th st 125 E 26th av E 50 x N 100, lots 18 and 19 blk G Knowles & Potter sub Kennedy tract; $2,600.

Everett B. Babb to same, N E-11th st 150 E 26th av E 25 x N 100, lot 18 blk G, same; $16.

Wm. T. Webb to Belle E. Webb, E 12th av 150 N E-17th st N 50 x E 150 blk 92, Clinton; gift.

Chas. A. and as executor estate Geo. R. Bailey and Alice C. Bailey, to Martha G. Bailey (und 1-3) Geo. R., Mattie, Cherry and Mary Bailey and Ethel Sheldon, wife G. M. (und 1-9 each), N Dwight Way 787.07 w from intersection with line between plots 61 and 67 Ro V and D Peralta, th SW 462.63 NW 1216 NE 367.07 SE 1215.50 to beg, ptn plot 61 Ro V and D Peralta, excepting N Dwight Way 787.07 W from its intersection with line between plots 61 and 67 Ro V and D Peralta, th NW 100 SW to E line California and Nevada R. R., th S to N Dwight Way, th E to beg; $1.

Anson S. Blake, trustee, to F. W. Bilger and Anson S. Blake, S Dwight Way 150 E Dana st E 50 x S 124-6 being lot 5, blk I, Leonard tract; $10.

Andrew and Jane C. Jones to Weston F. Truesdell, lot 18 blk K, map of Andrew Jones sub Bklyn Tp; $10.

L. L. M. Salsbury to Emelie W. Salsbury, lot 62, Marion tract; lots 1, 2 and 3, blk 26, Warner tract; lot 2 and S ½ of NE ¼ and SE ¼ Sec 4 Tp 5 S, R 3 E, contg 204.92 acres, QCD; $10.

Annie E. and T. B. Draper to Theresa Heron, N Clement av 180 E Willow st E 30 x N 130 blk 15 lands adjct to Encinal; $10.

Chas. A. and Emma L. Bonesteel to J. T. Bonesteel, lot 6 and so much of lot 5 adjoining lot 6 as fronts 33 feet on Chumalia st and runs back in rectangular form to San Leandro Creek in block 6; E San Leandro, warranty deed; $10.

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COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

MUTUAL SAVINGS BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO, a corporation,
Plaintiff.
vs.
JOHN T. FLEMING, AGNES LUCRETIA FLEMING,
Defendants.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, on the 22nd day of March, 1897, in the above entitled action, wherein the Mutual Savings Bank of San Francisco, a corporation, the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against John T. Fleming and Agnes Lucretia Fleming defendants, which said decree was, on the 10th day of February, 1897, recorded in Judgment Book 27 of said Court, at page 547, I am commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the City of Alameda, County of Alameda, State of California, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the western line of High street, distant thereon two hundred and eighty-six (286) feet six (6) inches northerly from the northern line of Central avenue, and running thence northerly along the said line of High street fifty-six (56) feet three (3) inches, thence at right angle westerly two hundred and thirty-five (235) feet one (1) inch to the eastern line of Fountain street, thence southerly along the said line of Fountain street fifty-six (56) feet three (3) inches, and thence at a right angle easterly two hundred and thirty-five (235) feet one (1) inch to the place of beginning. Being lots Nos. 6 and 29 in the block marked "A" as the same are delineated and designated on the plat entitled "Subdivision Map of the Sather & Robinson Tract, Alameda, Alameda County, California," filed on September 10th, 1885, in the County Recorder's office of said Alameda County.

Public notice is hereby given that on

MONDAY, THE 26TH DAY OF APRIL, A. D. 1897,

At 1 o'clock P. M. of that day, in front of the Court House door in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell at public auction the above described property, or as much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy plaintiff's judgment, with interest, counsel fees and costs, to the highest bidder, for gold coin of the United States.

Dated March 25, 1897.

D. C. MURPHY, Commissioner.

FRANK SULLIVAN, Attorney, 128-30 Phelan Building, San Francisco.

Notice to Creditors.

In the matter of the estate of Jacob Roth, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the Estate of Jacob Roth, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator at his office, Room 5, eighth floor, Mills Building, northeast corner of Bush and Montgomery streets, San Francisco, California, which said office the undersigned administrator selects as his place of business in all matters connected with the said Estate of Jacob Roth, deceased.

J. B. FEEHAN, Administrator of the Estate of Jacob Roth, deceased.

Dated, March 4, 1897.

J. Harris, attorney for Administrator Room 5, eighth floor, Mills Building, San Francisco, Cal.

Notice Inviting Street Work Proposals.—Pursuant to Statute and to Resolution No. 22,830 of the Council of the City of Oakland, adopted April 5th, 1897, directing this notice, the undersigned invites and will receive at his office in the City Hall, up to 5 o'clock P. M., of the 19th day of April, 1897, sealed proposals or bids for the following street work, to be done according to the specifications posted and on file, and established in Ordinance No. 1252, approved March 4, 1891, to-wit:

That Adeline street in said city, from the northern line of First street to the southern line of Third street, be sidewalked with cement six feet in width to the official line and grade, except where already done in cement or bitumen, said exceptions being more particularly described as follows, to-wit: On the western side of said Adeline street from a point 156.20 feet north of the northern line of First street to the southern line of Third street, and on the eastern side of Adeline street from a point 112.81 feet north of the northern line of First street to a point 108.31 feet north of the northern line of First street and from a point 318.16 feet north of the northern line of First street to the southern line of Third street.

Bidders must file with each proposal or bid either a check, payable to the order of the Mayor of said City certified by a responsible bank, for an amount which shall not be less than ten per cent. of the aggregate of the proposal, or else a bond for said amount; and so payable, signed by the bidder and by two sureties, who shall justify before any officer, competent to administer an oath, in double the said amount, and over and above all statutory exemptions.

Office of the City Clerk of the City of Oakland, City Hall, April 12th, 1897.

J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.

Notice of Street Work. — Notice is hereby given, that on the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1897, the City Council of the City of Oakland passed Resolution of Intention No. 22,786, to order the following street work to be done, viz:

That it is the intention of the Council of the City of Oakland to change the grades on Fourth avenue between a point 100 feet southwesterly from East 18th street and the western line of Newton avenue.

For further particulars, reference is hereby expressly made to said resolution on file in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Oakland.

Oakland, April 9th, 1897.

M. K. MILLER, Superintendent of Streets of the City of Oakland.

LEGAL.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATRIX'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

Notice is hereby given, that pursuant to an order of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, duly given and made on the 22nd day of March, 1897, in the matter of the estate of P. H. McGrew, deceased, authorizing the sale of all the personal and real estate belonging to said estate, the undersigned, Kate H. McGrew, the administratrix of the estate of said P. H. McGrew, deceased, will sell at private sale, on or after the 26th day of April, 1897, to the highest and best bidder, for cash in United States gold coin, subject to and payable on confirmation of sale by said Superior Court, all the right, title and interest of said P. H. McGrew, deceased, in and to the following described personal and real estate, to-wit:

Certain tools and equipments of a blacksmith shop of said deceased at Nos. 1056, 1058 and 1060 Thirteenth avenue, East Oakland, said Alameda County, the same being engine, boiler, shafting, drilling machinery, punches, shears, blowers, forges, anvils, tire rollers, upsetters, forms and hand tools and stock in trade.

Also all those certain lots pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

1. Commencing at a point distant fifty (50) feet northwesterly from the west corner of block number 39; thence running northeasterly along the southeasterly line of Thirteenth avenue fifty (fifty) feet; thence at right angles southeasterly and parallel with East Eleventh street one hundred (100) feet; thence at right angles southwesterly and parallel with Thirteenth avenue fifty (50) feet; thence at right angles northwesterly and parallel with East Eleventh street one hundred (100) feet to the place of beginning; being the central fifty (50) feet of the original lots numbers 1, 2, 3 and 4 in block number 39 as shown and so delineated upon the Map of Clinton now on file and of record in the Recorder's office of said Alameda County, together with the improvements thereon, consisting of a two story building formerly used as a blacksmith shop.

2. Commencing at a point on the southwestern line of East Sixteenth street distant thereon one hundred and five (105) feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of Thirteenth avenue, and running thence southeasterly along said line of East Sixteenth street forty-five (45) feet; thence at a right angle southwesterly one hundred and fifty (150) feet; thence at a right angle northwesterly forty-five (45) feet; and thence at a right angle northeasterly one hundred and fifty (150) feet to the point of beginning, being lot number 19 and the eastern 20 feet of lot number 20 in block number 65 as per "Higley's Map of the Town of Clinton," now on file and of record in the Recorder's office of Alameda County, California, together with the improvements thereon, consisting of a small three roomed house.

3. Commencing at the point of intersection of the northerly line of East Twentieth street and the easterly line of Sixteenth avenue; running thence northerly along said Sixteenth avenue one hundred and forty (140) feet; thence easterly and parallel with East Twentieth street twenty-five (25) feet; thence southerly parallel with Sixteenth avenue 140 (one hundred and forty) feet; thence westerly along the line of East Twentieth street twenty-five (25) feet to the place of beginning; being lot No. 1 in block No. 56 as the same is delineated and so designated on "Freeman's Map of the Town of San Antonio" (now a portion of the City of Oakland), and now on file and of record in the Recorder's office of said Alameda County.

4. Commencing at a point on the easterly line of Fifteenth avenue distant thereon seventy-seven (77) feet northerly from the corner of East Seventeenth street, and running along said line of Fifteenth avenue thirty-three (33) feet; thence easterly parallel with East Seventeenth street one hundred (100) feet; thence northerly parallel with Fifteenth avenue thirty (30) feet to the southerly line of an alley; thence easterly along said alley fifty (50) feet; thence southerly parallel with Fifteenth avenue forty (40) feet; thence westerly parallel with East Seventeenth street fifty (50) feet; thence southerly parallel with Fifteenth avenue twenty-three (23) feet, and thence westerly parallel with East Seventeenth street one hundred (100) feet to the easterly line of Fifteenth avenue and the place of beginning, together with the improvements thereon, consisting of a two story seven room house.

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SPORTING NEWS

The Advancing Season Has a Favorable Effect on Sports.

ECHOES OF THE BIG FIGHT.

Renewed Interest Is Shown by the Reliance Club.

THE NEW HOME OF THE ACMES.

Aquatic Clubs Getting Ready for the Season's Cruises.

The interesting events of the past week in the sporting world at home and abroad, will be found recorded below:

THE UMPIRE.

Locally speaking, there has not been much to chronicle in the sporting world this week, other than the movements of the club men.

There is much training going on among athletes, however, and promises of interesting events in the near future can be relied upon.

The wheelmen are still actively at work in a variety of ways, though a little recreation in the shape of club runs will be the order before the next big events transpires.

The yachtsmen have unfurled their sails and soon aquatic pastimes will be the caper with the devotees.

Cricket has started, baseball is getting there, the field day events are not far off, while innumerable affairs worthy of attention are soon to take place in the clubs.

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The Acme Club is to be congratulated on its enterprise in securing such an excellent new home. When the building is taken possession of, new life will be instilled into the organization and a largely increased membership will result. There are active workers among the Acmes and credit is due the directors for making such fine quarters a possibility.

With the occupancy of the new home the club expects to be free from debt—or nearly so. Then little by little, new facilities for exercising will be added, while attractive features for social pastime, will be given attention.

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The withdrawal of divisions from the L. A. W. is sweeping the country and California heads the procession by taking the lead. The following from the New Orleans Daily Item of Saturday last, explains the sentiment in regard to the matter there, where already the division has left the parent body:

"It is not, as the evening journals which are championing the monopolists' side of the question insist upon turning it, a secession movement; it is the revolt of honest and honorable wheelmen against a tyrannical, unjust and wholly unrighteous rule imposed upon them, without their sanction, by a body of self-elected rulers, who through perfidy and all manner of trickery have gained the control of a once honored organization, and are dragging its honor and name with them into their natural or chosen element—the dust of degradation.

"Revolt against the rule of a now sadly degraded organization, that has absolutely no right whatever to exercise any control over their sections (we refer to the vast army of cyclists who are not, and never have been, members of the L. A. W.) and in justice, never has had, but to the control of which they have submitted in the past, as much because of the fact that they were not strong enough to hope for success in an attempt to free themselves, as that, conditions being different, and those in control being honest, honorable men, the rule was not altogether unsatisfactory at that time.

"The wheelmen can and will form an organization through which they will maintain and promote their sport and of which they will not have any occasion to be ashamed, and at which the finger of scorn cannot be pointed. The L. A. W., because of its age, and, at one time, superiority, has enjoyed wonderful prestige, but it can not long survive the stigma that has been cast upon it by the recently exposed corruption in its politics, and the contaminating influences of the control of those who by force of superior numbers have been for years able to sway the greatest power.

"Unless some heroic measures are adopted, the L. A. W. is doomed. Already the boasts of its mighty power are but hollow mockery, for despite the inflated reports from various sections of renewed membership and increase in applications, it is on the wane.

"Under the proposed new state of affairs, instead of the divisions being governed directly from the national body, as is the case with the L. A. W., State boards of control will be elected by the cyclists of the division, and the power to grant sanctions, investigate charges preferred against wheelmen, make suspensions and reinstatements, impose fines, and, in fact, to control the division entirely, will be vested in them. In the event of an offense calling for expulsion, a disputed election, or other matters of great importance, the national racing board will be referred to as a supreme court.

"These State boards, to which all affairs of the division will be referred for adjustment, will be composed of the chief consul, vice-consul, secretary, treasurer and four others, to be elected by the wheelmen of the division. By this arrangement, those whose duty it will be to investigate and pass judgment upon matters referred to them, will be right in the field and can make personal investigation, interview complainants and offenders, etc., at once, without the very unpleasant and equally unjust 'suspension pending investigation,' and will be better enabled to obtain the exact facts in every case."

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The St. Paul Dispatch of the same date, takes a different view of the matter. It says:

"The members of the League of American Wheelmen do not attach much importance to the United Wheelmen of America, the new Western organization. They say that the old organization covers the field, and that the U. W.'s have no particular excuse for living, only as protesters against the legitimate acts of the parent body.

"It seems that the United Wheelmen, what few of them there are, have taken umbrage against the L. A. W. because of the latter's well known opposition to Sunday racing. Looking at the matter from a common sense standpoint, it would seem as if the L. A. W. had both right and morals on its side. There is no question that the bulk of public sentiment is opposed to Sunday racing, and that any opposition to the L. A. W. in this behalf is a kick against the manifest will of the people.

"However, the United Wheelmen have launched their bark, and its voyage will be watched with curiosity by wheelmen generally."

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The following from the Chicago Record of last Saturday relative to Fitzsimmons re-appearance in the "big-foot" city is of considerable interest:

"Robert Fitzsimmons showed 4,000 of the faithful last night how he 'did it.' The exhibition was a gentle, pneumatic-glove affair, in accordance with the city ordinances and the presence of a squad of policemen from central detail. But for the crowd, who took off their hats to the pine boards he stood on, it was as good as if he had passed money around.

"During the fifteen stanza of the shouting the cries for a speech became clear, and Julian had no objections to the following talk which the champion gave with a hearty voice:

"'I suppose you want to know something about the last contest. All I have to say is that I went in to win, and did win. I won fairly and squarely. There had been some rumors that I was going to throw the fight and let Corbett win. This was not so. After I defeated that 'stiff,' Sharkey, I was offered $500,000 to let Mr. Corbett defeat me. I refused it. I was also offered $250,000 by a well-known banker in New York city. I refused that. I thought more of my future than I did of their millions.

"'I would like to say, too, that I was the only one to wear the stars and stripes on my loins in the fight. I will always wear them there. But what I intend to do now is to let others fight their way to the pinnacle, which I have resigned. I wish you the same prosperity which I hope to get myself.'"

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The following dispatch from Kansas City shows a wonderful development in the science of electricity. Whether its author is sane or not is another question:

"Prof. Lucien J. Blake of Kansas University has a new theory as to the secret of Champion Fitzsimmons' victory at Carson. He says the fighter was 'galvanized' when he met Corbett. He asserts that athletes can and have been filled with electricity and thereby been made invincible. Fitzsimmons, according to his idea, was charged with artificial life, and on that account did not succumb to the shower of blows rained on him by Corbett."

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A sporting exchange has the following to say:

"'One-Eyed' Connolly is still alive. Some one has heard from the character who has attained some notoriety at every big prize fight. At Carson City he went to jail for making an address from the press table. He was released by the magistrate upon offering the excuse that he had all checks down on the guy who licked his friend, John L.'

"When last heard of he was sighted twenty miles off 'Frisco. He is making his way to Chicago by a round-about way, and hopes to shake hands with Clarke street acquaintances by Independence Day, July 4th."

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Peter Jackson has written to a friend at San Francisco to know if finish contests are likely to continue at Nevada. If so, Jackson writes, he will soon leave England for 'Frisco and try to get something to do there in a listic way.

Tom Sharkey and Jim Williams, champion of Utah, fought eight rounds before 1,500 persons at the Salt Lake A. C. last Monday night. There was no decision, but the sailor had all the better of it. Lynch, Sharkey's manager, announced that he would back Williams for $5,000 against any 154-pound man in the world, Creedon preferred.

Dan Creedon says that in the future he will not go out of his class and fight heavyweights unless he really thinks he can win by giving away weight. Creedon wants to win the middleweight championship, and believes that the only man he has to beat, outside of Fitzsimmons, to gain it, is Kid McCoy. Creedon is anxiously awaiting the arrival of McCoy from the other side.

John L. Sullivan promises to "shove his fist through Julian's face," because Julian called him a "has-been."

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The lot of the German lady cyclist is not a happy one. Before she can ride in the streets she has to give an exhibition of her skill, and prove her ability to the satisfaction of the police authorities. Having passed the test, she is served with an official document which declares her to be the rightful owner of the bicycle. This document must be carried with her whenever she goes out riding, and produced when called upon by the police. No wonder German girls prefer any recreation to cycling.

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A syndicate has been formed in Colorado to lay out a 1,000-mile bicycle tourists' circuit through the most picturesque scenery in the State. The plan includes the building of cabins about twenty-five miles apart and hotels seventy-five miles apart.

THE UMPIRE.

AT THE RELIANCE CLUB.

Progress Is Reported in Every Branch of the Organization.

The newly organized camera annex at the Reliance Club gave its first "ladies' night" Wednesday evening. To say it was a success in every particular is putting it mildly. The large gymnasium was packed, both the lower floor and gallery, with the lady friends of the club members, who are always glad to visit the club on these occasions. During the summer months the annex expects to give evenings once a month, varying the programme with music, lantern exhibits and so forth.

The dark rooms and lockers have been fitted up and everything is in readiness for those interested in camera work. During the month lectures will be given by competent amateurs on the use of the camera and development of pictures.

Thursday evening the club gave the best boxing tournament the members have witnessed during the winter. Hennessy and McCormick put up one of the best exhibitions of science and gameness ever witnessed in the gymnasium. Both being hard hitters, clever boxers and very evenly matched, the bout was one of those that sets an audience wild. McCormick was declared the winner after eight stubbornly fought rounds. The other contests were also interesting ones.

The club proposes to give the boxing entertainments regularly every month during the spring and as they are attracting more attention among the boxers and exciting more enthusiasm among the club members, better entertainments will be arranged each succeeding month. The club has established a reputation among the boxing element for its uniform, impartial decision and fair treatment, so the better class of fighters are anxious to contest under its auspices.

Thursday evening the regular annual election of officers will take place at the club rooms.

Reports of the president, secretary and treasurer will be read and a general rehearsal of the year's work will be heard.

Club enthusiasm in general is increasing every day, while every branch and annex is trying to outdo the other.

The base ball team has been organized. It succeeded in winning its first game from the Calliopeons, a strong amateur team of San Francisco, which had won twenty-one out of twenty-five games.

Today the Reliance team will play the U. C. team on the Berkeley campus.

A game has been arranged with the Australian team for Saturday, April 24th.

THE ACTIVE ACMES.

Great Things Are Anticipated When the New Home Is Finished.

It is expected that the new quarters of the Acme Athletic Club will be ready for occupancy by May 15th. The gymnasium is already practically finished and the work on the second floor is being rushed as rapidly as possible.

The special features of the new building are the swimming tank, steam rooms and the gymnasium. The tank dimensions are twenty by forty-five feet and will range in depth from four to eight feet. It will be constantly supplied with a stream of clear fresh water.

The steam room will adjoin the swimming tank and will be complete in all its details.

Special attention has been paid to the arrangement of the gymnasium, which will occupy the entire third floor, 70x100 feet, and will be thirty-five feet high. It will be equipped with the latest improved devices for exercising. In one end of the gymnasium, the hand ball court has been placed at an elevation of ten feet above the floor proper. It will be full regulation size, will be provided with a gallery for spectators and will be second to no court on the coast.

The Acme Club has many superior hand-ball players and it is expected that the court will be always in use when the club is finally settled in the new rooms.

The billiard rooms will be equipped with entirely new and handsome billiard and pool tables, with the latest improved cushions and are now being manufactured especially for the Acme Club by the Brunswick-Balke-Calendar Company.

The best room in the building has been reserved for the reading room and library, where all the newspapers current magazines, periodicals, Congressional reports will be on file.

The finances of the club are in better shape than they have ever been at any previous time, and the directors are confident that by the 15th of May nearly if not all of the old liabilities will have been liquidated.

Arrangements are being perfected by the directors for a grand opening night, announcements of which will be made later.

The wheelmen are arranging for a series of club runs for the coming season under the direction of Captain Revalk. The first run will be called for Sunday, April 25th, and will probably be to Pleasanton.

Among the Acme entries for the Velodrome races for the first Sunday in May, under the auspices of the new State organization, will be Squires, Crafts and Wyman, all of whom are at present riding in great form.

The wheelmen will enjoy a club run to San Rafael next Sunday and on the following Sunday will take a trip to Pleasanton.

UNIVERSITY ATHLETES.

The Coming Field Day Is the Chief Event of Importance.

A try-out field day is being held by the Berkeley athletes this afternoon to determine finally the entries and positions of the various members of the team. The boys were laid off from training yesterday, for a rest before the sharp work of today. Only five more training days remain. Work will be done on the track Thursday and Friday of this week, and Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week. The following Thursday and Friday will be days of rest.

Tom Carroll has taken charge of Carver, Dorn, Hooper, Lloyd, Cheek and Goodale in the hammer throw and shot-put, and is giving valuable aid, especially in the hammer throw. Humphreys has now completely recovered from his rheumatism, and will be in the pink of condition for his quarter-mile race in the field day.

Hoffman has gotten over the sprained muscle in his leg, and is doing some of his best work. Dozier is not yet doing any jumping, and will probably not do any until the field day. His knee is rapidly improving, and he is doing some running on the track. The other men on the team are already in excellent condition, and Trainer Lean is exercising the utmost vigilance to prevent staleness. Both Dawson and Miller have made a wonderful improvement in the low hurdles.

The Berkeley boys are determined to continue the fight for having second place at the Velodrome on account of stead of having it changed to two points. They are equally determined to have the two-mile bicycle race take place a t the Velodrome on account of the greater safety, speed, and fairness. Besides these contested points, the admission fee and the order of events were disputed. A compromise will probably be patched up from these four disputed questions.

AQUATIC SPORTS.

The Yacht Clubs Are Preparing for an Active Season.

The monthly meeting of the Alameda Boating Club was held last night, when delegates to the annual convention of the Pacific Coast Association were elected.

The Alameda Club will hold a regatta on April 25th, at which there will be no less than twelve entries in the junior class.

Next Saturday will be the opening day of the California Yacht Club. In the evening it will entertain visiting yachtsmen and Sunday will go on a cruise.

The opening day of the Pacific Yacht Club has been set for May 15th, at which time the club will give one of its old-time spreads.

THE LAST FAREWELL.

Acme Club Members Give a Final Smoker in the Old Quarters.

A smoker was given at the Acme Club rooms last evening to celebrate the departure from the old quarters.

Some 250 of its members were present to do honor to the occasion, and an informal programme was rendered. Teddy Cotton executed some really wonderful feats on the triple horizontal bars and his work showed great improvement. The tumbling of Stegman, McNally and Toohig was as it always is, clear cut and artistic, the ease and grace with which they turn the most difficult double somersaults placing them far ahead of the average amateur.

Conlan and Turner did a brilliant act on the double trapeze and the evening's entertainment concluded with a boxing bout between Lawton and Simpson.

Alameda Tennis.

The University Academy Tennis Club of Alameda held a very interesting tournament Saturday. The scores were as follows:

Kinley and Miss Fergusson vs. Leonard and Miss Livingston, 6-0 and 6-0.

Anderson and Miss Hicks vs. Levens and Miss Reynolds, 6-4 and 6-1.

Chace and Miss Fossing vs. Haskell and Miss Franks, 6-1 and 6-2.

Baxter and Miss Pennoyer vs. Chase and Miss Fossing, 6-0 and 6-2.

Anderson and Miss Hicks vs. Kinley and Miss Fergusson, 6-1 and 4-6.

Baxter and Miss Pennoyer vs. Anderson and Miss Hicks, 6-3, 5-2 and 6-3.

Will Join Reliance Cyclers.

The Reliance wheelmen are to be the guests of the Garden City Cyclers shortly, when the latter open their season with a club run and barbecue. Unless the Oakland riders have some favored spot, the scene of the feast will be at Blackberry Farm, near San Jose. The date has not yet been settled, but it will be some time this month.

Piedmonts Defeated.

The ball club of the Sacred Heart School and the Piedmont School nine played a spirited game Saturday, resulting in a victory for the former by a score of 4 to 10.

The Sacred Heart School club wants to meet all comers under 14 years of age.

At the Wickers.

The cricket season was opened Sunday at the Webster street grounds in Alameda, when a game was played between the Encinal City Club and the Golden Gate team. The score resulted 80 to 53 in favor of Alameda.

Oakland Loses Again.

The Oakland Ball Club fell before the Santa Cruz nine Sunday in the watery city by the seashore. Nolan and Peters for Oakland did good work and heavy batting. The score was 9 to 4.

RELIC OF THE BIG FAIR.

Damages Sought for French Goods Destroyed by Fire.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, April 14.—Judge Grosscup, of the United States District Court is engaged in the final hearing of the suits of the French Government and of several exhibitors at the world's fair, brought for damages to goods to exhibitors, by reason of the fire of January 8, 1894, which destroyed the Casino, Peristyle and Music Hall and burned the roof of the Manufacturer's Building.

Juries had been waived and counsel for both sides were willing to let Judge Grosscup be both judge and jury. The suits ask for damages in the amount of $87,856. The Exposition Company bases its refusal to pay damages upon its rules and the slowness of the French exhibitors in packing their goods.

Further claim is made that the value attached to the damaged goods is far in excess of that given to the custom house when the goods were entered for the exposition.

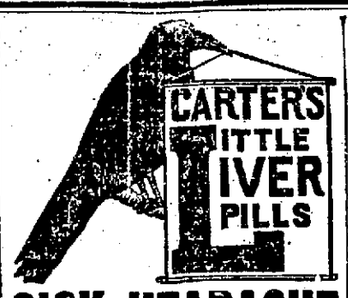
George R. Davis, director general of the fair; Edmund Bruwaert, consul general of France to the United States, and who was in direct supervision over the French exhibit; Fire Marshal J. A. Carnes and Assistant Fire Marshal J. L. Kenyon, in charge of the exposition department at the time of the fire and F. J. Beardsley, foreman of the water pipe department at the fair, are among the witnesses.

Peace for Durrant.

From this time until Durrant shall make his last appearance, on the gallows, there is one thing for which all newspaper readers will be thankful. We shall have surcease of the columns of feminine-written rot and twaddle about the condemned man. He has made a special request that no one be permitted to see him except his father and mother, and the unsexed female reporters will have no further opportunity to write about him except through the medium of their imaginations, which in the past it must be confessed have been their chief source of inspiration, since it would have been absolutely impossible for them to have seen one-tenth of what they have stated as fact.—Alameda Encinal.

Church Election.

The First Presbyterian Church will hold its annual meeting and election of church officials this evening.



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THE TYRANT KRUGER

A Picture of the Leader of the Transvaal by H. A. Butters.

IGNORANT, BUT VERY CRAFTY.

Defense of the Uitlanders in the Johannesburg Trouble.

TRADE PROSPECTS IN AFRICA.

A Most Interesting Lecture on a Very Important Subject.

The character of the Transvaal Boer was painted blacker than the skin of the Kaffir by Henry A. Butters last evening during his lecture on South Africa, in behalf of the Vincentian Society in St. Francis de Sales Hall. The Boer, he declared, was without ambition, was greedy, stubborn, tyrannical, treacherous and brutal. "The average Boer," the speaker said, "is ignorant and prejudicial. He has read nothing but the bible and many of them are unable to read at all. For such a people to meet with an intelligent class of foreigners is like meeting of flint and steel; they can no more harmonize than oil and water. The agency which will ever neutralize the conflict is power, and the government of the Boers is doomed. Its methods are primitive and its laws unjust. Its policy is an impossible one."

Mr. Butters corrected some impressions which he feared the American people held in regard to the recent uprising at Johannesburg. Americans were inclined to believe that foreigners had no right to go there and object to the laws. The foreigners were generally believed to be a transient class of people who went to South Africa to make money and who would leave as soon as it was made. This was not true. Many of the Uitlanders had made permanent homes there. "Mr. Phillips, chairman of the Reform Committee," he said, "has a home which cost $200,000, and this would be satisfactory evidence to any one but a Boer of permanent residence. The laws which are extremely irksome to Americans and Englishmen in the Transvaal were enacted after the Uitlanders had begun to improve the country. They are enacted not for them but at them. They pay nineteen-twentieths of the taxes and are deprived of representation.

CONDUCTING ELECTIONS.

The speaker gave an interesting account of the manner of conducting elections in the Transvaal. The elections occur in only one place at a time. President Kruger or his satellites attend each election and see to it that they result satisfactorily.

"The financial methods of the Boer government are simple but effective. To illustrate, 300,000 cases of dynamite are needed every year for mining purposes, and the normal price would be $12 a case; but dynamite is made a government monopoly, and the price is raised to $25 and $27. In various ways Johannesburg is made to yield up $10,000,000 a year to the government.

"The government of the Transvaal is centralized at Pretoria. The Uitlanders are given certain restricted municipal rights and that is all. English is prohibited in the public schools by order of the government. There is a strict press censorship and no article criticizing the government is allowed."

Mr. Butters gave a graphical description of the result of the Jameson raid Kruger's treachery and double dealing was plainly shown.

"He had promised the Uitlanders," said Mr. Butters, "he would consider their grievances if they would declare an armistice. They did so, and just then Jameson commenced his invasion against the protest of the Uitlanders. Kruger turned his attention to Jameson, knowing the committee in Johannesburg would keep its word and preserve order. After Jameson's capture, the Uitlanders were told that all of the captives would be slaughtered in prison unless they (the Uitlanders) gave up their arms, and they were given up."

KRUGER'S DUPLICITY.

No sooner were the Reformers at the mercy of Kruger than he ordered them thrown into prison. They were thrust into cells nine by seven feet, three or four men occupying one cell. These cells were inexpressibly dirty. Mattresses, soiled and filthy, which had been used by previous prisoners, many of whom had died of smallpox, dysentery and other loathsome diseases, were provided for the Reformers. Prison pap was their only food.

After three weeks of confinement the sixty-five men were released on bail and told to go to Pretoria where if they pleaded guilty, they would be released on the payment of a nominal fine of three pounds and ten shillings.

Then President Kruger proved his treachery. When the men were brought in for judgment, the crowded court room was cleared of the women who had crowded in. A strong armed guard was placed around the prisoners. A judge, a stranger from an adjoining town, presided benignly over the proceedings. The horror of the prisoners cannot be described as they heard the judge call for the gruesome black cap. The five leaders were sentenced to death and sixty others to two years imprisonment, to be followed by the payment of a large fine and two years exile. Ultimately, as everyone knows, Kruger countermanded this order and the five were let off upon paying $125,000 each and the others $10,000.

A GRAND STAND PLAY.

Mr. Butters characterized this move on Kruger's part as a play upon the sympathies of the world at large. Frightened at the storm he had raised by the death sentence, Kruger exercised clemency in order to receive commendation for his tender heartedness. It was a grand stand play for public approval.

Kruger's recent attempts to implicate the English Government in Jameson's raid were designed for the purpose of throwing the odium of his own misdeeds on another. The English Government was not in any way connected with the uprising. The Boers had frequently and insultingly told the Uitlanders if they wanted redress for their wrongs they would find it in arms alone. Power was the only force they respected.

Kruger's character was analyzed.

A PICTURE OF KRUGER.

"Old Oom Paul, or Uncle Paul, as Kruger is called, is a man of great physical strength and supreme physical courage. He is totally uneducated. Although the head of a Government of but a small country, he draws a salary of $40,000 a year, with an allowance of $1,500 for 'coffee money.' He grew up a rough child of nature, but he knows personally every boer in the land, and until recently he was revered by them; now some of them revile him. It is believed he has profited by the corrupt practices of the men around him. There is no republic in the Transvaal, but only a government of the Boers by Kruger for the benefit of Kruger and his satellites."

Mr. Butters' account of South African mines was most interesting, and was illustrated by excellent views. The natives, the Zulus and other tribes were shown in all their barbarism. The primitive mode of travelling and the many annoyances that merchants and others were forced to meet were lightly touched upon.

In conclusion, Mr. Butters spoke of the opportunities for making money in South Africa. It is a country which confidence, capital and science has developed. For the unskilled laborer there was no opening. For the mechanic the chances were better. Clerkships had been overrun with applicants. There had ben overrun with applicants. There were good openings for farmers, as prices for farm commodities were high and the land fertile.

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AT THE PLAY-HOUSES.

Otis Skinner in His New Play for the Macdonough Monday.

Otis Skinner's energy, combined with his ability as an actor, gives much promise that in his work the American stage will eventually have an actor-manager who will be compared favorably with the actors who have distinguished themselves in this respect abroad. Though this is only his third stellar year, he has produced, since his debut as a star, three new romantic plays by American authors, one new adaptation of a French classic drama, has revived five Shakespearean plays, and one by Bulwer Lytton. Mr. Skinner is evidently not a dreamer, but a worker. The latest and most successful of his new productions is "A Soldier of Fortune," from his own pen. It has met with favor throughout his entire tour, having been one of the dramatic successes of the present season. Mr. Skinner will open in "A Soldier of Fortune" during his coming engagement in this city, on Monday evening, April 19th, to be followed by "Romeo and Juliet" on Tuesday and concluding the engagement on Wednesday evening with a grand production of "Hamlet."

THE OAKLAND.

The Elleford company in "New York, Day by Day," attracted another large audience last night. Young Jeffries and Wm. Woods' illustration of the recent Corbett-Fitzsimmons contest was well received.

Next week Manager Sheehan announces a novel attraction—"The Bloomer Minstrels."

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VON ARNOLD IS STILL FREE.

Chief of Police Lloyd Has Been Treated Cavalierly and He Is Sitting Down on Detective Lucas.

A DESCRIPTION IS WANTED.

The Fair Heirs Are Said to Be Paying the Expenses.

DIRECT ATTACKS ON DELMAS.

Some Lively Developments Are Expected From the Romance.

There is every indication at present that Detective Von Arnold alias the Baron Von Turkheim will speed unchecked on his Eastern career for although Chief of Police Lloyd says that "measures have been taken to stop him he has not got the heart in his remarks that would be there if he were very confident about the result.

The fact is that Chief Lloyd is a little sore and justly so, about the manner he was treated in the case. When Detective Lucas and Attorney Hutton went to the City Hall yesterday and secured a warrant for Von Arnold's arrest on a charge of bigamy they did not extend to Chief Lloyd the courtesy of calling on him regarding the matter despite the fact that at the time he was seated in his office. Accompanied by Mrs. Von Arnold, who says that as Miss Emma Paul she was married to the jaunty detective at Aurora, Ill., on March 10, 1889. Lucas and Hutton went directly to Police Judge Allen's office and waited there while he sent for Prosecuting Attorney Moore to issue the complaint. The callers were inclined to be very secretive and Lucas was sufficiently "mysterious" to bear out his calling.

Judge Allen who examined the marriage certificate by which Von Arnold and Miss Paul were married says that as far as appearances go, it is genuine enough. The woman too tells her story with every indication of truthfulness. She is rather good-looking, fairly well dressed and about twenty-five years of age. She has been working as a domestic in the Western Addition, San Francisco, and says that her husband deserted her shortly after their arrival on the coast. She, however has suffered in silence and would have continued doing so but for the fact that his recent exploit has torn from her heart the last vestige of the love she bore him. She, therefore, now seeks the revenge of seeing him landed behind the bars of a State penitentiary.

After securing the warrant the whole party left the City Hall without consulting any other of the officials and when later on Captain of Police Fletcher was interviewed as to what steps were being taken to bring Von Arnold back he is reported as having said that the Oakland police department would do nothing in the matter until some one put up the money necessary for the extradition expenses, the point being that the Oakland officials could not act on that score as no financial provision is made for such cases.

CHIEF LLOYD'S DENIAL.

Chief of Police Lloyd this morning, though, denied that such an expression had been made as the official opinion of his department. He was not interviewed on the subject last night and he says that if Captain Fletcher made the statement credited to him it was simply his own individual opinion and the chief would therefore not stand for it.

Of course, such a theory as Fletcher's is perfectly absurd, otherwise any fugitive from justice would be comparatively safe after he once got out of the State. The facts about such matters are that the State pays the expenses of extradition and the local departments are never called on for any money.

The reason Chief Lloyd, though, is not acting to any extent in the matter is because he has not been given any description or photograph of the man wanted.

"I today notified the people who want Von Arnold brought back to California," said the chief, "that I was practically powerless without any grounds of identification to work on. If they had called in my office yesterday I would have obtained a description of him anyhow, and if I could have secured a photograph I could have had fifty copies of it taken for police use. As things are now I have been unable to do very much in the matter."

The chief was not inclined to say just exactly what he had done, but the intimation conveyed was that he had telegraphed on to have Von Arnold watched so that he can be located at any moment.

This espionage, though, will doubtless be conducted anyhow, for it is believed that the Lucas detective agency has a man on the train with the "baron" and his bride and that they will be under surveillance until the case is disposed of.

THE "ANGELS."

The story is afloat that the money and influence being used to bring Von Arnold back to California comes from the Fair heirs. It is said that they desire to bring Von Arnold and Miss Young to California so that Attorney Delmas will be harrassed and an influence thus brought to bear on the Craven case.

If the couple are returned some very sensational developments will undoubtedly ensue. That Detective Lucas and his men are not working without a pretty fat fee in sight is certain and as there is no one in evidence more likely to furnish it than the Fair people that has doubtless caused the foundation of the rumor.

EMBERS CONCEAL CRIME.

Arson Resorted to in Order to Cover the Murder of a Family.

The Reynolds Family of Pascoaga Supposed to Be Obliterated.

PASCOAGA, R. I., April 14.—The house of Edward Reynolds at Oakland, a few miles from here, was burned this morning with all the outbuildings. It is thought that it is a case of murder and arson. Mrs. Reynolds' body, mutilated and bloodstained, was taken from the bed by those who discovered the fire. They found what they believed to be traces of kerosene about the room, but were prevented from making a thorough search of the premises by the heat and smoke. A 20-year old daughter of Reynolds, Reynolds himself and Martin Mowry, who boarded with the family are missing. The buildings were totally destroyed, entailing a loss of about $20,000. At an early hour this morning the ruins had not cooled sufficiently to permit a search among them for the missing persons, but this will be begun as soon as possible.

Martin Mowry, missing from the scene of the Reynolds tragedy, was found hiding in a barn near Harrisonville this forenoon and was placed under arrest on suspicion of having been involved in the affair.

MILLIONS OF BONDS.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, April 14.—The New York Central has arranged for the sale of $100,000,000 of 3½ per cent hundred-year gold bonds and the New York and Harlem for $12,000,000 of the same class of bonds. These bonds will be used to retire or convert the present bonded debt of the companies and thereafter become the first lien on the companies.

The New York Central will reserve $15,000,000 of its bonds for the new construction after 1903.

CONFESSED HIS GUILT.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, April 14.—Jos. Adams, who was sentenced on Monday to three years in Sing Sing for forgery, has confessed having swindled the Columbia Bank of this city out of $580. This is the crime for which Alonzo J. Whiteman of Minnesota, ex-State Senator, was tried and acquitted last week. Adams' resemblance to Whiteman is remarkable.

TAKING THE CENSUS.

The School Enumerators Will Begin Their Work Tomorrow.

The school census enumerators will commence the work of taking the city school census tomorrow. Superintendent McClymonds has been coaching them for a number of days.

Milton S. Hamilton is Census Marshal and the following are his assistants: C. F. Wagner, H. E. Warren, Miss Douglas Whitehead, Bertha Knox, Irene Rutherford, W. H. Richardson, W. C. Harmon, P. H. Felley, Murray Laidlaw, E. J. Osgood, W. H. J. Matthews.

TEN PEOPLE KILLED.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

BERLIN, April 14.—A dispatch from Essen on the Ruhr announces that ten persons were killed today through the explosion of fire-damp in the Oberhausen pit.

Hay Sails for England.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, April 14.—Colonel John Hay, United States Ambassador to the Court of St. James, sailed for England today on the American line steamship St. Paul, accompanied by his wife and eldest daughter.

Ex-Representative Perry Belmont was also among the passengers.

WANT CLEAR WATER.

A Murky Fluid Destroys Clinton Plaza's Fine Fountain.

A PETITION OF THE PEOPLE.

The Service of the Oakland Water Company Sought.

FILLING WEST OAKLAND MARSH

Captain Hackett Secures the Contract for the Work.

At the meeting of the Board of Public Works today an interesting petition, with a view to preserving the architectural beauty of the fountain in Clinton plaza, signed by a number of leading citizens, was introduced.

The petitioners asked that the water of the Oakland Water Company be used in the fountain and run as follows:

"Whereas, The Clinton Plaza fountain is one of the city's most attractive pieces of architectural stonework; and

"Whereas, The said fountain contains ornamental and very rare fishes; and

"Whereas, The water now supplied to said fishes is so cloudy and murky that it obstructs the view of the said architectural stone work and said fishes, thereby detracting from the general attractiveness of the fountain; now therefore we, the undersigned, respectfully petition your honorable body to let the Oakland Water Company supply the said fountain with water, for the reason that the artesian water supplied by the latter company is perfectly transparent and the full effect of the architecture of the fountain can thereby be enjoyed by the public."

The petition was signed by the following residents:

H. W. MARTIN, 352 East Fourteenth street.
GEORGE E. WIARD, 1363 Eighth avenue.
G. N. BAILEY, 402 East Twentieth street.
S. H. WRIGHT, 1427 Eighth avenue.
W. WILCOX, 461 East Fourteenth street.
J. G. LUTH, 1114 Seventh avenue.
CHARLES F. BULL, 60 East Fourteenth street.
H. DAVIS, 672 East Fifteenth street.
J. B. WATSON, 275 East Twelfth street.
MELVIN & CO., 279 East Twelfth street.
E. H. WARREN, 1414 Sixth avenue.
H. W. KELLER, 201 East Twelfth street.
F. H. STEWART, 311 East Twelfth street.
R. D. BAKER JR., 356 East Twenty-second street.
O. C. KIRK, 303 and 305 East Twelfth street.
L. A. STEPHENSON, 325 East Twelfth street.
J. C. TURNER, 317 East Twelfth street.
CHESTER DIXON, 1202 Seventh avenue.
W. S. HASKELL, Dimond.
C. P. KIRK, 981 Fifth avenue.
E. R. LAND, 1059 Eighth avenue.
G. H. MASON, 366 East Fourteenth street.
E. H. ELMORE, 315 East Twelfth street.
D. STEPHENSON, 325 East Twelfth street.
J. V. DA SILVIERA, 317 East Twelfth street.
L. G. LITTLEFIELD, 309 East Twelfth street.

The petition was referred to the committee of the whole.

An application from L. S. Bixby for re-appointment as Assistant Superintendent of Streets was filed.

M. W. Holmes applied for the position of Superintendent of Streets, and his application was filed.

R. E. Andrews' application to be reappointed Assistant Superintendent of Streets was filed.

P. Hussey made application for some sort of street work.

Superintendent of Streets Miller was directed to make a report of the number of men employed in the Street Department since June, 1896.

WEST OAKLAND MARSH.

The Board awarded the contract for filling in the West Oakland marsh to the Pacific Coast Dredging and Reclamation Company, they being the lowest bidders.

S. H. Saleno, representing Mr. Bowers, asked that the matter go over till the next meeting, giving as a reason for making the request that a decision was expected next Monday in regard to the patent dredger which Mr. Bowers claims the sole right to use. A letter from John H. Miller, attorney for Bowers, was also filed, in which Miller claimed that Oakland, by awarding the contract to the Pacific Coast Dredging and Reclamation Company, would become liable with the company for infringement of patent rights.

Captain Hackett, for the company, replied briefly, but to the point.

"The cheek of this thing," said he, "beats anything I ever heard. This is nothing whatever but a blackmailing scheme, which they have been practicing for ten years. We are ready to give a bond to cover whatever liability the city may incur. We use no part of the Bowers patent, and their decision could have no earthly effect on us."

Saleno said it was not a question of $3,500, but a question of principle, and Captain Hackett said it was all humbuggery. It looked for a while as if a quarrel between Captain Hackett and Saleno would ensue, but Mayor Thomas brought things to a head by moving that the resolution awarding the contract to the company be adopted upon the company's giving a $3,500 bond. The motion prevailed.

The following bids were received for removing the fence back of the Contra Costa Laundry: John Geary, $121.75; R. J. Dowling, $150; E. J. Fry and

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VICTORY AND DEFEAT

Varying Stories as Regards the Meeting of Greek and Turk.

AN ULTIMATUM TO GEORGE.

The Insurgents Said to Have Done Some Brave Fighting.

FLED ACROSS THE BORDER.

Situation at the Present Time Complicated by Rumors.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LONDON, April 14.—The Evening News this afternoon published a dispatch from the special correspondent at Athens saying that the Turkish government has formally informed the Greek government that any further raid of irregulars into Turkish territory will be regarded by Turkey as a declaration of war upon the part of Greece.

CAPTURE BALTINO.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

LARISSA, April 14.—Trustworthy reports received here yesterday confirm the statements that the Greek irregulars have captured Baltino, in Macedonia. The Turks lost forty men killed. The insurgent chief Davelis occupied a strong position in the mountains near Krania. His force was later attacked by a Turkish battalion from Velimisti; but the Turks were repulsed with severe loss. The Greeks then assumed the offensive, cut up the Turkish detachment, captured eighteen mules, a convoy of provisions, a large quantity of ammunition and made prisoners of fifteen Turks. After this success, the Greeks advanced to Kipuri on the road to Gravena, threatening to cut the communication of the Turkish Central force at Elassona with Janina, the Turkish headquarters in Albania.

In all their skirmishes and fighting since crossing the frontier, the Greeks lost only five men killed and fifteen men wounded.

Fresh troops continue to arrive here from the south. A third brigade was formed today to assist in the defense of the frontier.

The enthusiasm of the troops is unabated. In Macedonia the weather is wet and cold, but in Thessaly fine weather prevails, permitting military authorities to complete all preparations for the advance into Turkish territory or defend the frontier in the event of the Turks assuming the offensive, which is looked upon here as being more probable.

The dispatches received here today from the Greek expeditionary force say the irregulars have passed Kipur, driving the Turks before them and pushing on for Grevena, where a strong Turkish force, some reports say, of the army corps is stationed.

There are rumors here of a Ministerial change, but there are no signs of relaxation in preparing for war, and there will be a feeling of relief when hostilities commence.

AS FAR AS GREVENA.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

LONDON, April 14.—A special from Salonica, the Turkish base of operations, says that the Greek "irregulars" have succeeded in advancing as far as Grevena and rallying the population to their cause and threatening the communications between the Turkish armies at Elassonia and Janina.

SAID TO BE FAILING.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ATHENS, April 14.—The Greek insurgents, according to dispatches from the front have sustained considerable losses and are retreating before superior forces. While occupying Baltino the Greeks burned most of the houses of that place.

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AN ANGELL IS CHOSEN.

President McKinley Selects a Minister to Turkey.

A MICHIGAN MAN GETS IT.

D. E. Meiklejohn of Nebraska Assistant Secretary of War.

GOOD OFFICES GIVEN OUT.

A Notable Day's Work Is Done at the White House.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—The President today sent the following nominations to the Senate:

James B. Angell of Michigan, to be Minister to Turkey.

George N. West of the District of Columbia, to be Consul at Pictou, Nova Scotia.

D. E. Meiklejohn of Nebraska, to be assistant secretary of War.

Commissioners of the District of Columbia, John B. Wight and John D. Ross.

John D. Cunningham of Idaho, to be assayer of the United States Assay office, Boise City, Idaho.

Seligman Brothers, special fiscal agents of the Navy Department at London, England.

First Lieutenant E. H. Browne, Fourth Infantry to be captain.

Second Lieutenant E. H. Wolfe, Third Infantry, to be First Lieutenant.

Second Lieutenant J. W. Joyce, Fifth Artillery to be First Lieutenant.

Corporal George L. Byroad, First Artillery to be Second Lieutenant.

A TARIFF STRAW.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—An unexpected tariff vote was precipitated in the Senate today by Senator Morrill's motion to refer to the Finance Committee the Vest resolution declaring that the order of Secretary Gage as to the retro-active clause of the tariff was illegal.

A yea and nay vote was taken, and Morrill's motion to refer prevailed; yeas 24, nays 23.

The only Republican vote cast against the motion was that of Chandler, while the Democrats voted solidly against it. They had the assistance of all Silver Republicans and the Populists present, except Mantle, Silver Republican from Montana, who voted with the Straight Republicans. Cannon, Silver Republican, and Butler, Harris of Kansas, Heitfeld, Pettigrew and Turner, Populists, recorded themselves against the motion. Teller and Jones and Stewart of Nevada were absent.

Senator Morgan today in the Senate asked to have the time set for the final vote on his resolution.

Morrill objected and Morgan gave notice that he would call up the resolution daily until the vote was secured.

During the consideration of the Indian appropriation bill which was taken up in the afternoon, Gorman criticised the manner of passing the appropriation bills without properly organized committees. He declared it was in opposition to the caution of President McKinley in his inaugural address that strict economy should be used.

DEMOCRATS DIVIDED.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—The House was in session ten minutes today and then adjourned until Saturday without transacting any business.

The session was long enough, however, to furnish occasion for the display of the division among the Democratic members which the recent caucus has not been able to heal.

Dearmond of Missouri appeared as the leader of the opposition to the leadership of Bailey.

As soon as the journal had been read Dingley made a motion that when the House adjourned it be until Saturday.

Dearmond and Simpson immediately demanded a division. The vote on the motion was 131 to 38. Bailey and his followers voted with the Republicans while Dearmond and other Democrats and Populists opposed the motion.

TRAFFIC AGREEMENTS.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—Representative Shannon of New York today introduced in the House a bill to amend the anti-trust law so that it will not prevent railroad traffic agreements. Shannon's bill is much less complete than that of Senator Foraker.

To Be Seen Abroad.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—The President today sent a message to Congress urging it to make suitable provision for the adequate representation of the United States at the Paris Exposition.

Off for Easter.

Tomorrow afternoon, about 100 of the pupils of Mills College leave for their Easter vacation, returning next Monday.

FLEE IN THE NIGHT

Terror-Stricken Nebraskans Speeding Before the Missouri.

THE BOTTOMS ALL FLOODED.

Great Damage to Property and Crops of All Kinds.

DANGER AT LEAVENWORTH.

Water Sweeping South With Destruction in Its Wake.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

OMAHA, Neb., April 14.—Up till midnight last night the river held stationary, but after that it began to rise, and at 9 o'clock this morning the gauge at the Florence pumping station showed a rise of eight inches. The wind is blowing strong from the south, and this materially assisted in maintaining the repairs made in the levee along the south bank of Florence Lake. That still holds, but the second stream of water, which runs from the river west of Florence Lake is still pouring into Cut-Off Lake. The bank of the river is holding better than had been expected, but there is still great danger. The Government work boats, which were tied up during winter have been steamed up and sent to the breaks to do what is possible to save the cut-off.

From all along the river north and south of Omaha come reports of flooded bottoms and squatters fleeing in the night from the angry waters. No loss of life is reported.

RISE AT LEAVENWORTH.

By Associated Press to the Tribune.

LEAVENWORTH, April 14.—The river has risen a foot since yesterday. At noon it was at 48.8 feet which is higher than at any time since 1891.

When the pontoon bridge went out this morning it carried out a portion of the Rock Island track. The road and the Chicago and Great Western were compelled to use the Burlington tracks.

THE DANGER LINE.

KANSAS CITY, April 14.—A further rise of half a foot has taken place in the Missouri for the twenty-four hours ending at noon today, and Weather Observer Connor says that the danger line will be reached this evening.

FORTY MEN STRUCK.

As a Consequence Seven Hundred People Are Thrown Out of Employment.

CORNWALL, Ont., April 14.—Yesterday morning the Canadian Colored Cotton Company started work after a year of idleness. After a few minutes' work the foreman announced to the speeders that there would be a further cut in the wages. Workmen, thirty or forty in number, refused to accept the cut and left the building. In consequence the mill will be again closed down for an indefinite period, thus throwing 700 or 800 hands out of employment.

FIFTY KILLED.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

ELASSONA, Macedonia, April 14.—An officer sent by Edhem Pasha to Krania with instructions to ascertain the exact situation in that vicinity confirms the statement previously made that the Turks have driven the insurgents across the frontier, inflicting a loss of fifty killed.

CAME TO BLOWS.

Disgraceful Scene in the Kentucky Senatorial Contest.

HUNTER LEADER ASSAULTED.

The Combatants Ordered Immediately Under Arrest.

NO SELECTION YET MADE.

Six Ballots Taken but Hunter Seems Too Heavily Weighted.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

FRANKFORT, Ky., April 14.—There were no material changes on the thirty-sixth ballot for United States Senator, which gave Hunter 61 votes, Blackburn 44, Martin 12, Boyle 6 and Stone 1 vote. Necessary to a choice, 53 votes.

There was no motion to adjourn and the thirty-seventh ballot was a copy of the thirty-sixth.

The deputy sheriff arrived at the capitol at 11 o'clock armed with subpoenaes for Representative Clarke, one of the anti-Hunter men and a half dozen newspaper correspondents.

All stuck to the first choice on the third ballot for the day.

During the fourth ballot the gold Democrats said that they did not propose adjournment till the Republicans asked for it and the Republicans said they would never ask for it. There was no change in the vote.

During the sixth ballot, Representative Lyons, the Hunter leader went over to Senator Clarke and began to talk to him.

Clarke asked him some questions. Lyons answered facetiously and Clarke jumped up and started to knock him down.

Lyons jumped back and Clarke was caught by the members around him.

The Lieutenant-Governor called to the seargeant-at-arms, "Arrest those men at once."

Sommers took him at his word, when mutual friends interfered.

The vote showed no change.

ARMOR WANTED ABROAD.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—In view of the very satisfactory tests of the American armor plate heretofore sent to Russia, the Russian Government has asked the Carnegie and Bethlehem Companies to submit proposals for furnishing armor plate for two large battleships.

Chicago Live Stock.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, April 14.—Hogs, light, $3.85@$4.10; mixed, $3.90@$4.10; heavy, $3.70@$4.10; rough, $3.70@$3.80; cattle, beeves, $3.80@5.40; cows and heifers, $2@$4.35; Texas steers, $3.25@$4.40; stockers and feeders, $3.40@$4.40.

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Ex. Vera Violette.....$1.00	Toilet Water..$1.00	Soap..75c	Face Powder... 1.00

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COURT NEWS

A Non-Suit Granted in the Celebrated Frisbie Case.

Close of the Testimony in the Booth Damage Case.

The suit of Sarah Frisbie against Dr. A. F. Card for $10,000 damages claimed for alleged mal-practice, came to an abrupt end before Judge Greene this morning, when he granted a non-suit.

Attorney Moore for the defendant, made the motion and supported it by a vigorous argument, in which he claimed sufficient evidence had not been put in by the plaintiff to warrant a verdict from the jury. The question of how the blood poisoning was contracted also came into the case.

ARGUING THE BOOTH CASE.

All the evidence has been put in, in the suit of Frank Booth, against the Oakland Consolidated Railroad, and this morning the final arguments began. Attorney McKee for the plaintiff rehearsed the testimony at length. He was followed by W. H. Chickering for the company. The plaintiffs will conclude their argument this afternoon.

JONES ESTATE.

The inventory and appraisment of the estate of John J. Jones has been filed by J. S. White, A. M. Benham and J. C. McMullen. It shows the holdings to be worth $68,706.48. This includes $11,140 in cash, $13,800 worth of stock in the Oakland Loan and Investment Company, 500 shares of stock of the California Jute Mill Company, appraised at $400; fifty shares of Piedmont Railroad stock, considerable mining stock, several mortgages and a large amount of real estate.

MUST COME TO COURT.

George Edwin Norris, the young incorrigible, has given the court a great deal of trouble. The question of committing the boy to Whittier came up again before Judge Ellsworth this morning, but the boy was not on hand. He is in the Boys' Training School in San Francisco and efforts to get him in court have failed. Judge Ellsworth issued an order for the youngster and then continued the case until the 16th.

FIVE YEARS IN FOLSOM.

Michael Gormally was this morning sentenced to serve five years in Folsom by Judge Hall. Gormally stole a cow belonging to a man named Riley who lives in Fruitvale. Riley is a carcleaner and the cow was a very important portion of the family goods, for it brought in a monthly revenue. The animal, which was of a valuable breed, was then killed and sold in the free market in the form of steaks. A man named Christianson was also implicated in the deal and he will soon be tried on a similar charge. The two stole and killed many animals before they were discovered. This morning Attorney Aram moved for a new trial on the ground that new evidence had been secured, but this was denied and the prisoner was sentenced.

ALYWARD CASE CLOSED.

The suit of John Alyward against the Livermore Water Company has been formally dismissed. The matter was settled out of court, when W. J. Dingee purchased the interests of the dissenting stockholder.

CHANGE OF VENUE.

In the suit of C. D. Vincent against the town of Palo Alto over the letting of a contract for the construction of water works, a motion has been granted changing the place of trial to Santa Clara County. The defendants have also entered a demurrer on the ground that finding a purchaser for the $40,000 bonds does not appear to be a certainty in the complaint and that no proofs are shown to the effect that the California Bridge and Construction Company was the lowest bidders for the construction of the proposed improvement.

All the documents in the case have been ordered sent to San Jose.

A BIG MORTGAGE.

The Hibernia Savings and Loan Society has sued Linda M. Adams to foreclose a mortgage on property on Broadway and Durant streets, to secure payment for a note of $12,000.

COURT NOTES.

Annie J. Paynter has been given a decree of divorce from Robert R. Paynter on the ground of extreme cruelty.

The case of Sarah Baumgarten against Solomon Baumgarten for a division of the family property has been continued for a week.

In the suit of Sarah R. Yoakum against George G. Baker et al, summons have been ordered published as the defendant is not now residing in this State.

J. H. Henderson and R. P. Greeley filed preferred claims against M. Houghat, an insolvent. Henderson's claim is for $299.04, while Greeley's is for $225.

Summons have been issued in the cases of the California Improvement Company against W. E. Frost and Hannah Butter.

A ranch near Decoto has been set aside as a homestead for the surviving family of Joseph Martin, deceased.

In the case of the California Improvement Company against Julius A. Remmel et al., a stipulation has been filed staying proceedings on the decree issued until a motion for a new trial can be made.

The demurrer in the suit of P. T. Vrettos against S. Angel et al. has been overruled, and the defendants given ten days in which to answer.

Lyman D. Babb has filed a demurrer to the complaint of William Read, in which he denies that a note for $800, which forms the basis of the suit, has not been settled.

The Golden Gate Baptist Church has petitioned the court to be allowed to mortgage its property for $400. The matter will be taken up on Monday, May 3d.

The demurrer of H. D. Ulrichs et al, in the suit instituted by the Bank of San Leandro has been overruled.

Max Isaacson has filed a claim against H. Schellhaas for $23.50.

The Oakland Bank of Savings has brought suit against Hyrum and Mary Peterson to recover payment on a note for $1,775, secured by property in Berkeley. The town of Berkeley is also joined as a defendant in the case for the property is claimed by the municipality as well as by the defendants.

Richard Graf, defendant in a suit brought by John Gooby, has filed a demurrer to the cross-complaint.

An amended complaint has been filed in the suit of E. L. Reese against Geo. McCahon, to obtain payment of a note for $385.

Robert Bain, defendant in the suit instituted by Tillman & Bendel, has been granted ten days to present a statement asking for a new trial.

The will of Manuel Rodricks has been presented for probate. Manuel R. Rodricks is named as executor. The estate consists of a ranch at San Lorenzo, valued at $2,200 and personal property worth $100.

The family home in Berkeley of the late Matthew Upton, has been set aside as a homestead for the widow.

M. Marks is suing the estate and widow of the late Philip Boogar to recover $3,000 on a promissory note executed by Boogar and also for money advanced prior to the sensational death of Boogar.

The case of Andrew Castamano and Antone Abell, charged with buncoing Nicola Palmieri out of $380, was called before Judge Ogden this afternoon. Both of the men pleaded not guilty and jury trials were demanded.

The suit of the Central Pacific Railroad Company against Joseph Hodgkins et al. has been dismissed.

The default of the defendant has been entered in the suit brought by the California Improvement Company against Hannah Butler.

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AN EX-CLAIMANT WEDS.

Alice D. Blythe Becomes the Bride of J. H. Von Brahmstead.

Alice Edith Dickason Blythe and J. H. Brahmstead were married by Judge Clift yesterday. The license was procured from Cupid Ewing at the County Clerk's office, late yesterday afternoon. It showed that the groom is 42 years old, while the bride is 40.

"Alice Edith," as she is familiarly known, was one of the contestants for the Blythe millions. She claims to have been married to the dead millionaire, while acting as his housekeeper.

Of late years, she has been addicted to the liquor habit and lately voluntarily placed herself in the Home for Inebriates in San Francisco.

Mr. Brahmstead claims to have royal connections in Europe, but says he has withdrawn his allegiance. He objected to the "von" appearing in the marriage license.

Nuptial Knot Tied.

Judge Fred Clift tied the nuptial knot between Kate Hart and Charles J. Raleman both of San Francisco, this morning.

Gas Works Attached.

At the instance of the Standard Oil Company, the San Leandro Gas Company's works have been attached today for $88.

DEATH OF A HERO.

Accurate Details of the Passing of Gen. Antonio Ezeta.

WAS MOURNED BY THOUSANDS

The Cause of Death Was a Wound Received in Battle.

FORGAVE ALL HIS ENEMIES

Last Days of the Soldier as Described by His Secretary.

Carlos Urrutia, the private secretary of the late General Antonio Ezeta, arrived in this city yesterday, bringing with him the first authentic accounts of the death and burial of the great San Salvadorean General and patriot.

The account is pathetic, for it tells of sufferings nobly borne and of forgiveness that is divine in its mercifulness.

Don Antonio Ezeta died like the brave gentleman that he was, at peace with his enemies and content to bow to the will of the divine power.

Urrutia is stopping with the ex-President of San Salvador, Carlos Ezeta, at his home on Williams street. General Ezeta is plunged in grief over the loss of his brother and the sorrowful account of his brother's death.

Urrutia's account of General Antonio Ezeta's death differs materially from the garbled reports sent out by the San Salvadorean authorities, who felt that the great General gained in power even when death had laid its chilling hand upon him.

General Antonio Ezeta did not die of Bright's disease. His death resulted from a wound received in the last battle during the insurrection, which gave Rafael H. Gutirrez, the supreme power.

Antonio Ezeta fought nobly during that battle. Struggling against overwhelming odds, he almost snatched victory from defeat. It was in the last courageous charge that he was wounded, and then his men fell back, protecting their beloved leader.

A DEADLY BULLET.

The bullet had struck the commander above the right temple. It was a serious wound, but General Ezeta, with unflagging courage, attended to his men before looking to himself. It was not until he was on the U. S. S. Benington that he could pay attention to the wound, which was then in a bad condition.

During his stay in San Francisco, he was under medical attendance. The wound healed outwardly, and nothing more serious was feared.

General Ezeta's movements from the time of the battle until his return to Central America are now matters of history.

After his departure from San Francisco, seeing the distressed condition of his home, he made another attempt to oust the oppressor Gutirrez from power, and to restore peace where disorder reigned. His attempts were not successful, however. He was expelled from San Salvador and Guatemala, and was forced to take refuge at Panama. His friends rallied around him, and slowly, but surely, Gutirrez' power began to totter, and the conditions would not be as they are now if Ezeta had lived a little longer.

BEGINNING TO FAIL.

In February of this year General Antonio told his secretary that he was not feeling well. Physicians were immediately consulted. The wound had not healed properly. Beneath the skin abscesses had formed causing the most acute torture. The pain was borne bravely and patiently. No one ever heard him complain, no one ever knew until the end came how he had suffered. The strong, sturdy General wasted away beneath the agony of those days. Three days before his death the physicians told Ezeta that only a few days remained to him on earth.

Ezeta called Urrutia to him. Calmly, without showing the slightest particle of fear, Ezeta told him what the physicians had said. Urrutia broke down and wept.

It was Ezeta who comforted him, and it was Ezeta who gave him the final instructions concerning his last wishes.

FORGIVES HIS ENEMIES.

First of all Urrutia was to bear to all of the bitter enemies of Ezeta, the latter's forgiveness.

Ezeta told him to not fail to bear the message to President Gutierrez, the false friend and treacherous relative, showing that he, Ezeta, could forgive as well as fight.

Then came messages to others, all breathing a spirit of forgiveness. To his brother, ex-President Carlos Ezeta, his message was one of the utmost tenderness and gratitude. The priests came, and, at peace with God and the world, Antonio Ezeta breathed his last on March 13th, just three days after his sufferings had confined him to his bed.

AN IMPOSING FUNERAL.

There have been garbled and conflicting accounts of his death and equally so of his burial. Urrutia says the funeral was one of the grandest and most impressive ever held in Panama. The great cathedral was crowded to the doors with the vast multitude who paid their last tribute of respect to a great and honored man.

The Archbishop delivered the funeral address and consul-generals, ministers, army officers and others of note mingled among the mourners.

Surrounded by a grief-stricken people, the remains were carried to the burying grounds, where they will remain until a happier time arrives and they may be taken to San Salvador.

To Urrutia information came of how the San Salvadorans received the intelligence. They were stunned with grief. Business places were closed and mourning was universal. President Gutierrez, enraged at this silent demonstration of feeling which he could not suppress, forbade any public expression of grief.

Eight days after the funeral Urrutia left Panama for Oakland via New York and reached his destination yesterday. He gives the first authentic account of the death and burial of General Antonio Ezeta, who in his lifetime was a thorn in the side of the treacherous Gutierrez, and now, though dead, exercises a wonderful influence, an influence that causes Gutierrez to tremble.

THE PRIVATE SECRETARY.

Urrutia is a well educated, bright young man, who was secretary to General Carlos Ezeta when he was President. When Antonio Ezeta returned to Central America, Urrutia joined him at once and staid with him until the end.

Urrutia denies most emphatically the statements that Antonio was friendless and poverty-stricken in Panama. He declares that Antonio was surrounded by friends and had plenty of means. He resided at the home of Dr. Cristobal Amador, one of the most prominent physicians in Panama, and was honored socially and politically. Urrutia will go to San Salvador as soon as possible and bear to Gutierrez Ezeta's forgiving message.

BEAUTIFUL WISTERIA.

The Great Attraction Now in Bloom at Mills College.

The marvelous growth of wisteria, which has been for years one of the crowning glories of Mills College, is now in full bloom and its beauty cannot be comprehended except by a visit to the historic institution.

The enormous bunches of purple flowers are just now more numerous and fragrant than they will be at any other time this year. They reach from the ground to the roof of a two-story building and stretch in all directions. There is not such another individual growth of wisteria in California and probably not in the world. The blossoms cover several hundred square feet of surface and their fragrance extends all over the beautiful grounds. Mrs. Mills said today that if visitors wish to see this glorious floral display they must not delay their visit longer than the end of Easter week.

NO CHANGES YET MADE.

The Fire Department Is Still Under the Old Officers.

A Host of Applications Are Filed for Positions in the Board's Gift.

The Board of Police and Fire Commissioners held a meeting this morning. A rumor had gained currency that the change in the head of the Fire Department would be made, and the lobby was therefore filled. No change was made, however, but a number of applications were filed.

W. W. Moore's application to be appointed chief engineer of the Fire Department was filed.

The application of Allen Jackson to be appointed steward of chemical engine No. 2 was filed.

The application of W. H. Shepman for a position as steward of chemical engine at Twenty-third and Adeline was filed.

The application of M. B. Farley to be appointed engineer for engine No. 2 was filed.

The application of T. Brown for a position in the Fire Department was filed.

The application of George Cliver for a position as driver in the Fire Department was filed.

The application of W. C. Barnes for a position as steward of one of the chemical engines was filed.

Charles Armstrong applied for a position as steward of chemical engine No. 2 and his application was filed.

The application of Charles K. Clark to be appointed a regular police officer was filed.

The application of D. M. Collyer for a position as driver of the Fire Department was filed.

At the request of Chief Fair, Fireman A. T. York was granted a thirty days' leave of absence.

The request of Chief Fair for permission to hire a team to remove earth from the rear of the new engine house was referred to the Street Superintendent with power to act.

The rules submitted by Chief Fair to govern the Fire Department was referred to the committee of the whole.

Chief Fair was granted permission to hang a bell in engine house No. 2.

WANT CLEAR WATER.

(Continued from page 1.)

H. Owen, $120. The matter went over till next Wednesday.

WANT TO BE GARDENERS.

The following applications for a position as gardener in the city parks were filed: Wm. Flemming, R. N. Montell, J. Fitzmaurice, P. McBrien, J. W. Gazette, E. S. Howland, J. E. Sturgeon, J. H. Patton, H. Boniface, J. M. Perry.

The following applications for street sprinklers were also filed:

Matthew Tubman, John Sunner, F. Ash, O. C. Hyatt, E. J. Murphy, C. Gray, G. Leslie, E. A. Kreiss, F. W. Little, R. W. Bartram, A. Fraiser, P. Kelly, L. Levy, L. Centros, Con Crowley, C. D. Harris, F. W. Baker, P. Rosenheim, W. Nicoll, W. Green, L. Hewlett, D. Toomey, Howard Robbins and John Palmer.

AMONG MAGDALENS.

Lizzie Silva Has Been Taken From the Insane Asylum.

Lizzie Silva, the young girl who was recently sent to the Stockton Insane Asylum has now been discharged from that institution and has been placed in the Magdalen Asylum at San Francisco. Mrs. Lydia Prescott of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children became interested in the girl who is only fifteen years of age and it was due to her efforts that the child was released from Stockton.

She is not at all insane but has been very wayward. For some time, her father kept the girl locked in her bedroom. Mrs. Silva planned an escape for the girl who managed to go to Sacramento to a sister residing there. Silva had her arrested and sent back. The girl was persuaded to make out that she was insane and was therefore sent to Stockton. The authorities kept her for a time and discharged her. She was then taken to the Magdalen Asylum.

Mrs. Prescott was at first inclined to believe that the girl had been cruelly persecuted but investigation showed that the girl had been very wayward and some restraint was an absolute necessity.

Going to Wed.

A marriage license has been issued to Herman J. Wilke and Leona Worrell Jeffries. The bride-to-be is but 17 years old, but a written request from Mrs. Jennie Jefferis allowed the issuance of the document.

Whidden's Indictments.

The nine indictments against County Auditor Myron Whidden will be heard before Judge Ogden next Wednesday. The matter came up today, but was continued for a week.

NOW FACES A JURY

Jack Howard to Answer for His Alleged Crime.

ATTORNEY SNOOK'S ADDRESS.

The Career of the Accused Set Forth With Great Clearness.

STRONG POINTS MADE CLEAR.

The Trial Attracts a Large Number of Court Frequenters.

The jury in the Howard murder case was selected before court adjourned last night and this morning District Attorney Snook opened the case for the prosecution. The jurors are: C. J. Bond, R. E. Barron Jr., George Hodges, H. A. Schafer, R. Sanderson, H. Boelken, V. H. Remmer, Frank Leavitt, I. B. Wheeler, A. F. Poirier, Henry Hauschildt and H. C. Poole.

The court room was crowded with men when the case was called and during the morning the lobby grew in size. All the witnesses were excluded from the room during testimony. This will be the order all through the trial.

Attorney Snook in his opening remarks said:

"We expect to show that Anne Johnson was about fifteen years old and resided with her parents, who came from Sweden, in the little cottage home on Tenth street. We will prove that she came to her death by a criminal operation performed upon her by Dr. Sharp and that the defendant, Howard was responsible for having it done.

"This sister, Hulda, was going with Howard before the death of Anne. The two sisters occupied a room in the basement of the Tenth-street home and on one occasion, Howard was discovered in the room with the two girls, by the mother, who was not permitted to enter."

The District Attorney, continuing stated that Howard took Anne to the St. John lodging house, where he procured a room. Later he returned with Dr. Sharp and after treatment, Hulda took her sick sister home.

The next day Sharp called at the house to treat Anne. Mrs. Johnson feared all was not right and so called in Dr. Kergan, who later brought Dr. Huntington to see the girl. The circumstances surrounding Anne's death were recited and the finding of the Coroner's jury were gone into.

"We will show," continued Mr. Snook, "that after Anne's death, when Howard and Hulda were confined in the city prison, charged with complicity in the murder, the two held frequent conversations, though they were separated by several cells. On one of these occasions Howard upbraided Hulda for receiving some candy from some one, saying she was going back on him.

"Hulda grew angry at this and told Howard that he was responsible for her sister's death and if she (Hulda) wanted to, she could put a halter on his neck. Howard wept piteously and pleaded with her not to give him away."

The District Attorney then told the jury that the Supreme Court had held that death under such circumstances is murder in the second degree only. He concluded by saying that he expected the jury to find Howard guilty of abetting Anne Johnson's slayer.

Dr. H. S. Kergan was the first witness called. He told of the visit to the dead girl at the request of the mother and the treatment of the patient up to the time of death.

Attorney Francoeur for the defense admitted the girl died from a criminal operation.

Dr. Huntington was put on the stand this afternoon. He testified that Anne Johnson had told him the cause of her ailment.

The dying statement of the girl was introduced in evidence, but though Dr. Huntington was in possession of information relative to the last words of deceased, outside of the death statement, it was not allowed to be introduced in evidence at this time.

SEVERE TREATMENT.

A Young Woman Claims That She Was Thrown Out of a House.

Miss Jennie Crabtree of Berkeley told a tale of woe to Judge Clift this afternoon when she begged that Arthur Hollman be arrested, charged with assault. Mrs. Hollman keeps the Colonial, a swell boarding house, at 2215 Dana street, Berkeley, and Jennie was employed as a housemaid at $25 per month. Mrs. Hollman found a girl who would do the work for $20 a month and began to take steps to get rid of Jennie. Complaints began to be frequent and one evening Mrs. Hollman's son, Arthur, knocked at the door of Jennie's room and told the latter that she could clear out, as her services were no longer needed, tendering her $12.50 as her month's salary. Jennie refused to take anything less than the amount agreed upon.

"He threw me out of the room then," said Jennie tearfully, "and when I went back to get my belongings, he threw me down the front steps."

Jennie showed a bruised arm and said her side and back were black with bruises, so Judge Clift issued the warrant for Hollman's arrest.

STILL MISSING.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 14.—The overdue ship Samaria from Seattle for San Francisco, coal laden, continues to cause great anxiety on account of her non-appearance. Her owner, S. G. Peterson of this city, has almost given up hope but he has requested the revenue service to send out the cutter Rush to search for trace of the missing vessel.

Commission Revoked.

Constable Kock has revoked the appointment of Alfred Brandes as his deputy.

Abbott Better.

Carl Abbott, who has been ill for a week, is reported better today.

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Beautiful Styles for Easter

The store is full of attractive goods suitable for Easter. To describe them is a task too great. A personal visit is necessary.

Kid Gloves

Right now our glove department is in the best possible shape to meet your wants. Good gloves at moderate prices. Gloves that bring you back for another pair are the kind we keep. Try us this time for your Easter goods. Any price you want.

A Parasol

To go with the costume is necessary, for this will, in all probability, be a sunny Easter. New Sun Shades, just received. Values you cannot find elsewhere. Grades at 50c, 75c, $1.00, 1.25, 1.50, 1.95, 2.50 to 7.00. Children's Parasols at 25c, 35c, 50c and 75c.

Easter Bonnet Ribbons

Save money on Ribbons by coming to us for them. A great assortment especially for Easter. At 20c, 25c, 35c, 50c, 60c and 75c a yard.

Neckwear and Veiling

New ruchings, frillings, lace yokes, ciffon and lace fronts, collars and fichues. All are fashionable and not expensive. Veilings of the latest mesh and spot at 25c, 35c and 50c a yard.

Handkerchiefs

Exceptional values now offered in plain, hem or embroidered goods. A new line is a ladies' pure linen hemstitched handkerchiefs, in ¼, ½ and 1 inch hem, at 12½c a 20c handkerchief.

New Hosiery

For ladies and children, in black, tan, ox blood and fancy effects. Our line is certainly inferior to none. Our values superior. Grades at 12½c, 15c, 20c, 22c, 25c, 34c, 50c and 75c a pair.

Thomson's Corsets

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Ladies' Wraps

Our cloak department is a busy place just at present. Skirts, capes, jackets, and silk waists of styles and prices that attract trade.

Children's Reefer Jackets

The largest and handsomest line of these cute little garments we have ever shown. Take a look at them, sure. Grades at $1.50, 1.75, 2.00, 2.50, 3.00, 3.50, 4.00, 5.00 to 7.00.

Boys' Waists

Shirt waists and Fauntleroy waists at 50c, 75c, $1.00, 1.25, 1.50 to 2.00.

SHIRT WAISTS

Try as they will, we haven't a single competitor in ladies' shirt waist that can match the values, styles or the fit of our waists. Grades at 48c, 69c, 75c, 89c, 98, $1.20, 1.45, 1.75 to 2.40. A fit or no sale.

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FROM THE JAWS OF DEATH

Madman Grebe Revives and the Pin Is Taken From His Throat.

The condition of W. Grebe, the insane cigar maker, who swallowed a hat-pin yesterday, is still serious, but he will be moved to Agnews asylum today.

Last night, when the man was apparently dying, Jailer Lane, assisted by Deputy Sheriff Charles White, made an examination of the patient's throat. They were startled to find the brass hat-pin, fully eight inches in length, twisted up into the shape of a letter S and sticking directly across his throat. The point of the pin had penetrated the windpipe, making a hole through which air escaped.

Lane had great difficulty in removing the dangerous pin. Dr. Fisher was called in, and after vigorous work succeeded in reviving the insane man sufficiently to empty his stomach of a cigar which he had swallowed.

TWO SISTERS TO WED.

An interesting marriage ceremony will occur this evening when Rev. Dr. Kummer will unite two loving couples. Miss K. Law Dods will become the bride of John E. Brink of Los Angeles and her sister, Miss Grace, will be married to Henry Hook of this city. The young ladies are well known in Oakland.

Mr. Brink is the president of the Los Angeles Athletic Club and very popular in that city.

DIVORCE GRANTED.

A divorce has been granted to Della M. Hardy from Tracy S. Hardy on the grounds of extreme cruelty. The case was not contested by Mr. Hardy. Both are well known in Oakland and occupy good social position. Hardy is the son of W. B. Hardy, formerly the Broadway book and stationery dealer. The relation between Mr. and Mrs. Hardy have been strained for some time past and the outcome has caused no surprise.

PARDEE WILL CASE.

The Pardee will case has been set for trial on the 28th. The announcement of the date was made this afternoon.

LICENSED TO MARRY

George W. Will, San Francisco	38
Ida L. Rougny, San Francisco	21
Carl Dohlstrom, Oakland	32
Rosa May, Oakland	25
James Jollymour, Oakland	27
Margaret McKenna, Alameda	22
Frank Lawrence Anderson, Oakland	25
Mary Agnes Keeley, Alameda	21
Caverao Seim, Oakland	35
Carrie Schoenberg, Oakland	22
Herman John Wilke, Oakland	33
Lena Warrell Jeffries, Oakland	17
John William von Brahmstead, San Rafael	42
Alicia E. Boone Blythe, San Rafael	40
Antone Silveria Pires, Centerville	20
Mary Louise Louis, Irvington	18
John Jepsen, Los Gatos	25
Doretnea Tarp, San Jose	20
William Edward Beebe, San Francisco	36
Mary Hart, San Francisco	28

In Port.

NEW YORK, April 14.—Arrived: The Patria, from Hamburg.

NEW YORK—The Kensington, from Antwerp.

Liverpool—The Westland from Philadelphia.

Glasgow—The Anchoria, from New York.

London—The steamer Ontario from Boston.

Hamburg—The Galicia from New Orleans.

Plymouth—The Lahn from New York for Bremen.

HOWARD OSGOOD ILL.

Howard Osgood, the druggist, was taken seriously ill last evening, after drinking a glass of mineral water. A physician worked with him during the night and this morning Mr. Osgood is slightly improved, though still quite ill.

Insane.

Maria Moore of 910 Alameda avenue, Alameda, was this afternoon adjudged insane by Judge Greene. She has refused to eat for several weeks and at one time made a nice bon-fire of some of the household furniture.

She has used liquor to a great extent during her life and this is believed to be the cause of her unsoundness of mind.

Wharf Notes.

The last week has been a busy one at the wharf.

The Arcata, from Coos Bay, is discharging coal today.

The Pomona, from Puget Sound, is unloading lumber.

The Caspine, from Mendocino, left this morning, after discharging her cargo of coal.

Charles Schuler Dead.

Charles Schuler, a native of Switzerland aged 47 years, died at his home in Fruitvale yesterday. The funeral will take place from the parlors of Beaudry & McAvoy, at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

Elmhurst Postmaster.

Newton Gray of Elmhurst has been recommended by Congressman Hilborn for the postmastership of that place. Gray is a well known and highly respected citizen of Elmhurst.

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DIED.

PITTS—In North Oakland, April 14, 1897, Lenabelle Lovering, daughter of James and the late Mary Pitts, and sister of Warren Pitts and granddaughter of Mrs. E. Henderson, a native of Oakland, aged 11 years, 7 months and 22 days.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from the residence of the grandmother, 346 Bible street, on Friday, at 2 P. M. Interment, Mountain View Cemetery, Oakland.

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WOMAN wishes housework by the day; washing, ironing, cleaning; 345 Harrison st.

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A RESPONSIBLE American woman wants to take care of a house while the family are away for the summer. Address S. M. F., box 2, this office.

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DANISH GIRL wants situation to do general housework in a private family, Oakland or Alameda. Please call at 1458 Myrtle st., Oakland, Cal.

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YOUNG AMERICAN GIRL WILLING to do light house work for privilege of attending school can find good home at 1264 Twelfth avenue. Call between 10 and 12 o'clock.

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JAPANESE boy, speaks good English, wants position to do gardening and care for horses; good references. Address H. S., box 2, this office.

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ENGLISH PUG DOG, answers to name of "Punch"; tag 16. Return to 506 Thirty-third st. and receive reward.

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LOST—A silver watch and chain in East Oakland. Return to 1635 24th ave. and receive reward.

LOST—Black spotted fox terrier; reward will be paid on return to 1041 Adeline street.

FOUND—Cow; owner may have same by proving property and paying expenses. Call at 617 Magnolia st.

LOST—Sunday at Blair Park, a large pair of field glasses. Reward if returned to this office.

LOST—Gold rimmed eyeglasses and ladies' hand satchel. Return to A. Jacobs & Co., 958 Washington st., and receive reward.

LOST—An overcoat near corner of Cypress and Sixteenth sts. Finder return to 1865 Twelfth and receive reward.

LOST—MONDAY EVENING BETWEEN Seventh and Washington and Eighth and Grove streets, lady's gold watch with monogram. Liberal reward if returned to this office.

DENTISTS.

S. A. HACKETT, D. D. S., removed to 1168 Washington st., S. E. cor. of 14th.

DR. CHAS. P. EVERTS, Dentist, 25 Montgomery st., San Francisco, rooms 1-2-3; office hours 9 to 12 A. M. and 1 to 5 P. M.

DR. W. E. TAYLOR, Dentist, Central Bank building, rooms 201-224; hours 9-12 and 1-5; Tel. 1331 Red.

J. DIMMICK, Dentist, has returned from Oregon and can be found at old stand, 575 Washington st.

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FULL SET OF TEETH, $7; warranted 5 years; painless extraction; see our new combination plate; thinnest, lightest, coolest plate made; warranted 10 years; fillings 50c; crowns $3.50. Chicago Dental Parlors, 24 Sixth st., San Francisco

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$7,000—Fine bargain; two story residence of nine rooms, on Webster street bet. Fourteenth and Durant; lot 74x150; land alone worth the price. Owner now in New York City. Has instructed us to make an offer. Laymance Real Estate and Investment Co., 466 Eighth st.

$2,800—$500 cash, $30 per month; modern cottage, five rooms and bath; in first class order; on Tenth near Adeline; being sold for the bank; send for photograph. Laymance Real Estate and Investment Co., 466 Eighth st.

$900—Modern bay window cottage, four rooms, high basement; brick foundation; house insured for $1,200; a bargain. $100 cash, $10 per month. Thirty-ninth st., near Grove. Laymance Real Estate and Investment Co., 466 Eighth st.

Administrator's Sale—Two story residence nine rooms; lot 41x150 on beautiful street, bet. Eighth and Tenth; splendid location; appraised for $3,000; must be sold to close estate. Laymance Real Estate and Investment Co., 466 Eighth st.

$3,000, formerly $4,500—Modern cottage of six rooms, lot 25x150; perfect condition; exceptional central location, three blocks of Central Bank; immediate sale wanted; owner going East; can arrange easy terms; this is choice; investigate it. Laymance Real Estate and Investment Co., 466 Eighth st.

$2,500—New colonial residence, nine rooms and bath; good barn; lot 40x186; situated on beautiful elevated location near Twenty-third avenue; commanding landscape and marine view; house one year old, being sold for the bank; only $250 cash, $25 per month; exceptional opportunity; street work complete; one-half block of electric cars. Laymance Real Estate and Investment Co., 466 Eighth st.

$5,500—Beautiful new two story residence, only three years old; eight rooms and bath; six blocks of Fourteenth and Franklin; mortgage of $4,700; only $800 required; make an offer. Laymance Real Estate and Investment Co., 466 Eighth st.

$3,350—$500 cash, balance monthly. If sold this week, too large for present owner, new two story residence, eight rooms; lot 36x106; on Twenty-third st., bet. Grove and Telegraph ave. Laymance Real Estate and Investment Co., 466 Eighth st.

$1,550—Reduced for quick sale; a furnished modern cottage of five rooms and bath, situate on sunny side of Fourth ave. near Clinton station, East Oakland. William J. Dingee, 460 and 462 Eighth st.

For Exchange, for good ranch property, clear or with small mortgage, near Pleasanton or Livermore, an elegant new residence on Fruitvale ave., finished in the latest modern style, handsomely frescoed; beautiful curly redwood finish; plate glass windows, etc.; lot 49x150; cash price $5,500; bank mortgage of $500. William J. Dingee, 460 and 462 Eighth st.

$3,600—Modern one and one-half story cottage containing ten rooms and bath; situate on Thirty-second st. near Telegraph ave.; lot 50x140. William J. Dingee, 460 and 462 Eighth st.

$3,000—A modern cottage containing six rooms and bath; situate in Lorin on the Grove street electric line; corner lot 35x120; stable. William J. Dingee, 460 and 462 Eighth st.

$1,750 will buy a neat cottage, containing five rooms and bath, situate on Adeline st. near Fourteenth st.; lot 25x100; easy terms if desired. William J. Dingee, 460 and 462 Eighth st.

$2,750—A few hundred cash and balance at $25 per month; a perfect little cottage home, recently built and containing six rooms, bath and laundry; terraced lawn; lot 37½x100, in fine neighborhood near Telegraph ave.; reduced from $3,250. William J. Dingee, 460 and 462 Eighth st.

$4,000—A modern two story house of seven rooms and bath on a choice northeast corner in East Oakland near the Judge Henshaw residence; lot 50x100. William J. Dingee, 460 and 462 Eighth st.

$150 $150 $150

This fine property is located on the San Leandro Electric Line, streets macadamized, sidewalked, city water. Price $150 per lot. Easy terms.

FIELD REALTY COMPANY,
1128 Twenty-third avenue, East Oakland.

GREAT CHANCE—For sixty days only, you can buy a beautiful lot in the Jones Tract, in the best part of Elmhurst; cement sidewalks; graded streets; city water; very low prices; $5 and $10 per month, without interest or taxes. Every house built on this property rents at once; houses built on easy terms. See owner, A. Jones, Elmhurst, or L. L. M. Salsbury, agent Elmhurst Land Co., 465 Ninth st.

A POLE IN THE MARSH.

Citizens of West Oakland Are Planning to Float Old Glory.

A Jubilee Promised When the Flag Is Given to the Breeze.

At the meeting of the West Oakland Improvement Club, last night, the question of widening Fourteenth street from Myrtle to Market streets was considered.

B. C. Cuvellier told of the necessity of purchasing the ten feet of land which abuts into the street. He thought the easiest way out of the matter was to buy the property from the owner, though he favored condemnation if Perez could not show legal title to the strip.

A petition was circulated urging the Council to take steps in the matter and after an investigation, to institute legal proceedings if necessary.

The committee authorized to erect a flag pole on the West Oakland marsh, reported great difficulty in being able to safely secure the mast owing to the marshy underground. One plan was to build a frame in the form of a socket eight or ten feet deep into which the pole could sink, and to let that down into the mud, placing ten-foot planks crosswise flat side to the mud around the frame and fastened to it so that it could not sway. Another suggestion was to form a bed of concrete around the frame. The pole is to be raised as soon as the details are completed, and that will be in a few weeks. A big jollification will be had at Hansen's Hall to celebrate the event.

Some informal discussion followed relative to plans for the park but no definite action was taken.

MARKET REPORTS.

WHEAT AND OTHER GRAINS.

WHEAT—$1.17½@1.20 per ctl for common grades, $1.22½ for average No. 1, $1.25 for choice and $1.30@1.37½ per ctl for extra choice milling.

FLOUR AND MILLSTUFFS.

FLOUR—Family extras, $4.75@4.85; Bakers' extras, $4.50@4.65; superfine, $4@4.35 per bbl.

CORNMEAL, ETC.—Feed Corn, $17.50@18; Cracked Corn, $18@19 per ton.

MILLSTUFFS—Graham Flour, $2.85 per 100 lbs; Rye Flour, $2.50 per 100 lbs; Rice Flour, $5.75; Cornmeal, $2@2.25; extra cream do, $2.75; Oatmeal, $3.50; Oat Groats, $4; Hominy, $3.10@3.50; Buckwheat Flour, $3.25@3.50; Cracked Wheat, $3.50; Farina, $4; Whole Wheat Flour, $3; Rolled Oats (bbls), $4.75@5.15; Pearl Barley, $3.75@4; Split Peas, $3.50; Green do, $4.25 per 100 lbs.

HAY AND FEEDSTUFFS.

BRAN—$13@13.50 for the best and $12@12.50 per ton for outside brands.

MIDDLINGS—$17@18 for lower grades and $18.50@19 per ton for the best.

FEEDSTUFFS—Rolled Barley, $15@15.50; Oilcake Meal at the mill, $28.50 per ton; jobbing, $27.50.

HAY—Wheat, $8@10.50; Wheat and Oat, $7@10; Oat, $6@8.50; Barley, $6.50@8; Alfalfa, $6@7.50; compressed, $6@9.50; stock, $5@6; Clover, $6@8 per ton.

STRAW—25@50c per bale.

BEANS AND SEEDS.

BEANS—Bayos, $1.75@1.95; Small Whites, $1@1.20 per ctl; Large Whites, $1@1.20 per ctl; Pinks, $1.05@1.20; Reds, $1.10@1.20; Blackeye, $1.50@1.75; Red Kidney, $2@2.50; Limas, $1.50@1.60; Butters, $1.25@1.50; Pea, $1.10@1.25.

SEEDS—Brown Mustard, $2.50@2.75; Yellow Mustard, $1.50 per ctl; Flax, $1.50; Canary Seed, 1¾@2¼c per lb; Alfalfa, 6½c; Rape, 2½@2¾c; Hemp, 3c; Timothy, 4½c.

DRIED PEAS — Niles, $1@1.20 per ctl; Green, $1.25@1.40 per ctl.

POTATOES, ONIONS, VEGETABLES.

POTATOES—New Potatoes, 1@2c per lb; Sweet Potatoes, $1@1.75 per ctl; Early Rose, 60@75c per ctl; River Reds, 70@80c; Burbank Seedlings, 50@60c per ctl for Rivers and 60@80c for Petalumas; Oregon Burbanks, 65c@$1.10.

ONIONS—Oregons, $3.25@3.75 per ctl. Cut Onions, $1.25@1.50 per sack. Australian Onions, $5@5.50 per ctl.

VEGETABLES — Hothouse Cucumbers, 75c@$1.50 per dozen; Asparagus, 75c@1.25 per box for common, $1.50 for choice and $1.75@2 for fancy; Rhubarb, 35c@$1 per box; Marrowfat Squash, $5@7 per ton; Los Angeles Tomatoes, —— per box; Mexican Tomatoes, $1.25@1.50 per box; Dried Peppers, 6@8c per lb; Green Peas, 1½@3½ c; Los Angeles String Beans, 6@8c per lb; Dried Okra, 3@3c per lb; Cabbage, 40@50c per ctl; Carrots, 25@30c per sack; Garlic, 1½@2c per lb.

BUTTER, CHEESE AND EGGS.

Creamery—Fancy creameries, 13@13½c; seconds, 12@12½c per lb.

Dairy—Choice to fancy, 11@12c per lb; lower grades, 8@10c.

Pickled—13½@14c per lb for new.

Firkin—13@14c per lb for new.

Creamery Tub—New, 14c per lb.

CHEESE—Choice mild new, 6½@7c; common to good, 5½@6c; Cream Cheddar, 10@11c; Young America, 7@8c; Western, 11c; Eastern, 13@15c.

EGGS — Ranch Eggs, 11½@12c; Store Eggs, 10½@11c per dozen; Duck Eggs, 14c per dozen.

POULTRY AND GAME.

POULTRY — Live Turkeys, 14@15c for Gobblers, 15@16c for Hens; Geese, per pair, $2@2.25; Goslings, $2.50@3; Ducks, $5@6.50 for old and $7@8 for young; Hens, $4@5; Roosters, young, $6.50@7.50; do, old, $4@4.50; Fryers, $5@5.50; Broilers, $4@5 for large and $2.50@3.50 for small; Pigeons, $1.75@2 per doz for young and $1.50 for old.

GAME—Hare nominal; Rabbits, nominal.

SAN FRANCISCO MEAT MARKET.

BEEF—First quality, 6c; second, 5@5½c; third do, 4@4½c per lb.

VEAL—Large, 5@6c; small, 6@7c per lb.

MUTTON—Wethers, 6c; Ewes, 5c per lb.

LAMB—Spring, 6½@7½c per lb.

PORK—Live Hogs, 4@4½c per lb for dressed do, 6@6½ c per lb.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

STEAMERS TO DEPART.

Czarina, Coos Bay	April 14
Santa Rosa, San Diego	April 14
Farallon, Yaquina Bay	April 14
Pomona, Humboldt Bay	April 14
A. Blanchard, Oregon ports	April 15
Arcata, Coos Bay	April 16
City Puebla, Vic and Pgt Sd	April 16
Coos Bay, Newport	April 16
State of California, Portland	April 18
Del Norte, Grays Harbor	April 18
Corona, San Diego	April 18
City of Para, Panama	April 19
Eureka, Newport	April 20
Australia, Honolulu	April 20
Sunol, Grays Harbor	April 20
Walla Walla, Vic and Pgt Sd	April 21
Gaelic, China and Japan	April 21
Columbia, Portland	April 22

STEAMERS TO ARRIVE.

Wellington, Departure Bay	April 14
Australia, Honolulu	April 14
Coos Bay, Newport	April 14
Humboldt, Humboldt Bay	April 15
State of California, Portland	April 15
Del Norte, Grays Harbor	April 16
Corona, San Diego	April 16
Truckee, Tillamook Bay	April 16
Walla Walla, Vic and Pgt Sd	April 17
Sunol, Grays Harbor	April 17
City of Peking, China and Japan	April 17
Orizaba, Mexico	April 17
Acapulco, Panama	April 18
Eureka, Newport	April 18
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Farallon, Yaquina Bay	April 21
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STRONG IN THE LORD.

Twenty People Confirmed at the Church of the Advent.

An Impressive Discourse by the Right Rev. Bishop Nichols.

An impressive service was held last night in the Church of the Advent, when twenty persons were confirmed by the Right Rev. Bishop Nichols, D. D.

The Bishop delivered a very impressive sermon on the life of Christ, taking his text from the eighth chapter of John.

He said that a great many lives of Christ had been written, "but," he continued, "there is in the New Testament material for an autobiography. Every word that drops from his lips is a leaf a page from his life.

"John says, in conclusion, 'There are many other things that might be said of Christ. There are two meanings attached to the word 'other' in the New Testament. In one sense, it means other things of different kind; in a second sense, other things of the same kind. And John means many other things of the same kind. He deals with a perfect and consummate life.

"There was a fallacy in the old church by which Christ was deprived of a reasonable soul, but given a deity instead. But Christ had as perfect a body as we. He had a perfect intellect, a perfect mind. We have all an idea of God. So had Christ. What an interesting study would the human conscience of Christ afford. He knew to refuse the evil and choose the good. He learned through his conscience. He had the scriptures at his tongue's end, he could answer every question.

"At every point of the human career of Christ the Holy Ghost was present. He knew God through his conscience, through the scriptures, through the Holy Ghost.

"Not the sentimental, not the philosophical, not the logical, nor the speculative idea of God is expressed in the simple words that summed up the whole conception of God, which was Christ's, 'I keep His will.' In the week of his greatest crisis and trial he saw God the clearest, yea, though his vision was tear dimmed. Through the agony of the garden, through the strain of fulfilling His will. He did fulfill it.

"Christian lives have great crises, great black chasms, our bewildered, crushed lives fail when the crisis comes because we cannot say 'I know Him.'

HOW TO KNOW GOD.

"The only way to know God is to know God's will. God makes our lives full of lustre, and when the light shines through it, we perceive its richness.

The offertory was sung by Edward Thornton. The applicants for confirmation were then received at the chancel by the Bishop, who spoke simply and earnestly to them.

"This is an example," he said, "of Christ's saying, 'suffer the little children to come to me.' When you have taken your vows tonight go forth into the world determined to fulfill them. It weakens the moral character to be constantly taught what to do and not do it. If you get into the habit of knowing more than you actually live up to, it weakens your moral fibre.

THE CONFIRMED.

The confirmants were as follows:

Mrs. Asa L. White, Miss Marian Goodfellow, Miss Jacqueline Moore, Master Reginald V. Hassard, Master Melvin P. Stevens, Master Carl Farsland, Gustaf Fred Burg, George Adeler, Robert Lee Shepherd, Joseph Andrade, Edward J. Burg, Mrs. Eliza Rape, Miss Henrietta Smith, Miss Sarah R. Bull, Mrs. Lillian Stiefel, Edward S. Hough, G. M. Landsberg, Miss Eva Petty, Miss Clara Noble, Mrs. Josephine Burg.

The total number of confirmants since November is 66, the whole number in the past twenty-nine months, being the length of the present rectorate, 110.

"Drink a little wine (whiskey) for thy stomach's sake, and thine often infirmities." The famous old Jesse Moore Whiskey is the finest and best.

THE TRAMP PRINTER.

People are often surprised at the range of knowledge shown by the "tramp" printer, and do not reflect that the man who has spent fifteen or twenty years at the "case" setting up letter by letter and word by word the thoughts of the best minds of the world must absorb and retain some of them, especially since he is often obliged to study out the meaning intended in order to translate the hieroglyphics in which the said best minds delight to express themselves.

The worst "copy" generally comes from catalogue writers, their language being technical to the subject in hand, one word giving no clew to the meaning of the next, if it happened to be the same subject.

One of these tramp printers, whom we will call Mike (because that is not his name) had just spent three months in one of the big book printing offices in Louisville working on the annual catalogue of an electrical appliance concern, at the end of his engagement knew more about ampheres, volts, ohms, armatures and resistance than the man who wrote the catalogue.

It was a cast-iron resolve when he went to work that he would stay sober and save his money as long as the job lasted. As he worked he evolved a scheme by which he would make a living easier than earning it by "sticking type."

When the catalogue was completed and Mike and the other "extras" were paid off, he bought him a silk hat, a suit of clerical cut and a paste diamond and started out to work his schemes.

When he got off the train at a little town in Southwestern Indiana and had to walk a block to the hotel he kicked because there was no cabs in waiting at the depot. A leading citizen, three small boys and the hotel proprietor (also porter) heard the kick and caught a flash of the big diamond, and inside of an hour the entire population knew that a great man had come among them.

The wise men of the village gathered that night in the hotel office to do Mike honor, and he mystified them by talking of armatures, ohms, volts, soft iron fields and alternating currents. This was a new and strange language to them, and they became interested and asked questions, which Mike answered like a man who knew it all. He said he was surprised to see a town containing so many brainy men shrouded in such utter darkness; a little city containing all the elements of greatness, set like a gem in a broad expanse of fertile prairie that laughed out great harvests of golden grain, yet throwing away its chance of prosperity by failing to recognize the onward march of science, as it shout by putting in electric lights. Then he grew confidential and hinted prospects of a new railroad that was to be built, and, sight, if the town showed a proper spirit of progress, make a terminal there. Then he stopped and looked wise and turned the conversation to electric lighting. The hint was enough for his hearers, and before the conclave adjourned it was decided to organize an electric company.

Mike said he was compelled to visit Louisville next day, and would get an estimate of cost from the manufacturers' agents and come back with a full report, saying that it was important that the plant should be running within sixty days, and he looked sly, at which the citizens grinned wisely.

In the city Mike got a thirty-five per cent discount on the machinery and a fifteen per cent promoter's commission, which latter was given to him in the form of a receipt for certain securities (which he never possessed) deposited in good payment for the machinery, thereby showing the citizen of the embryo city that he had confidence in the enterprise. The receipt was to be redeemed in cash by the manufacturers when the plant was paid for, when they would hold it as a share in the enterprise, and Mike would have $750 cash as his commission for making the sale, which amounted to $15,000.

When Mike went back to the Louisville burg, and told the wise men of the 35 per cent discount he had got for them because he was the friend of the manufacturers, and showed them his receipt for $750, paid by him to keep his friends from backing out, they decided that he, Michael, was the only real public-spirited man they had ever seen, and they then and there elected him vice-president of the new company and started to put up a building according to Mike's suggestions. Arrangements were made to hold a meeting of all the stockholders to sign the corporation papers.

Some two weeks later away-worn tourist who had been fired off a freight train some two miles out, was walking up the main street of the village in search of a place where he could make a "touch" when he spied Mike coming down the street in all the glory of a Prince Albert coat, silk hat and diamond.

"Shades of Guttenberg and Franklin! What are you doing here togged up like a Rothschild, and me with my tongue hanging out with thirst?"

"Silence, pride of my heart," said Mike. "The very walls have ears, and everybody in the town has ears, and everybody knows everybody's business. Follow me, 'bean,' and I'll lead you to a place where thirst is quenched."

"Lead on, Macduff. I'm d—d if I ever had enough."

In a little out-of-the-way place, down near the depot, Mike slipped into a side door, and the tourist followed. They sat down to a table that was soon graced with a couple of "schooners." Mike began to unfold the tale of the electric light plant, and as he drew near the end the punctuation became closer and closer, until at the close the story became a mere stutter, hyphenated with schooners.

Night came. The night on which the corporation papers were to be signed, ready for the filing on the morrow—but Mike's tourist friend ever between swallows, asked questions about Mike's adventure, which made necessary more beer and explanation, and Mike's engagement was forgotten.

They never knew how it came about, but they woke up in a big box car that was being switched to one of the freight houses, and somehow, four days had dropped out of life's calendar for each of them.—Louisville Post.

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PICNICS AT SHELL MOUND PARK
April 18—Portuguese Benevolent Society of Oakland.

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What a long time it takes the United States Government to officially learn that a state of war exists in Cuba!

The Church Militant still exists. Of the eleven prisoners taken during an engagement in Ecuador four were friars.

The "new burglar" has appeared. He breaks into houses but does not take anything Half a dozen cases have been reported to the San Francisco police.

There is one charm that music hasn't got, and that is of paying salaries and expenses. The French opera season in San Francisco has closed with a deficit of $10,500

Prison society is very exclusive. The murderers don't acknowledge the other convicts at San Quentin They have their own little circle and they never stray beyond it.

Jerry Simpson is a man of extremes A few years ago he took a delight in going sockless and now he is reported as parading around Washington in a pair of golf stockings.

It is somewhat surprising that a man whose life has been passed in a business supposed to enforce respect for the law should show such an utter contempt for it as does Detective Von Arnold.

Every city in the State can take a lesson in enterprise from Los Angeles just now. The fiesta promises to be one of the most notable events in the history of the State That is the way to advertize a town.

Physicians at Kansas City recently removed part of a man's jaw that was three times its normal size The patient was a barber and this shows how parts of the human frame can be developed by constant use.

The sugar men may yet bring about what Queen Lil could not accomplish A bill has been introduced in the Senate abrogating the treaty with Hawaii and it is announced to be a declaration of war against the sugar trusts

The members of the San Quentin band who serenaded Durrant with the Dead March will get the idea that they were unintentionally playing at their own funerals by the time the prison directors get through with them.

Tit for tat America is enforcing the alien labor law and now Canada will give no employment on public works to any one but British subjects A number of workmen from Seattle have just been turned down at Vancouver

Judge Bundy of Indiana has established a dangerous precedent, He has ruled that conversation over a telephone will be permitted as evidence There is too great an opening for fraud in such matters to make this good law

In New York recently Flossie Carpenter, a young actress, committed suicide for love and in the same city a few days ago a girl was reported as torturing an infant until it had convulsions And yet the East speaks of the "Woolly West."

The police have found a tramp-genius in San Diego He finds out where a hotel proprietor comes from and who are his friends and then boldly claims old acquaintanceship He played this trick at half a dozen places and is now under arrest for beating a board bill

The oft-repeated warning against Japanese immigration has never been heeded, but that it was well timed is now being proved. At Watsonville the Japs have cut the rate for cleaning beets to $1 a ton, and the white laborers have been compelled to meet the figure or go without work

As Turkey is known to be absolutely bankrupt, who is going to pay the expenses of the army of 100,000 to be put in the field. If the Greeks can play a waiting game for awhile after the troops are called out they will only have half-hearted warriors to contend with, for no pay and poor food will soon extinguish the very small flame of patriotism that burns in the Turkish breast.

There will be general rejoicing at the announcement that the San Pablo avenue cable line is to be replaced by an electric system. The reign of the cable was short. It only came into general use about sixteen years ago and no one would dream of building a cable line nowadays. This is just another little indication of the furious pace that progress is setting at the close of the nineteenth century.

Nobody will ever pay a fine in Marin county in future and it will be like getting an office to be sent to jail for attempt. The latest about the prison of Col. Finigan is that he has been served a swell dinner by his host, the sheriff. Isn't it about time that this stopped? Either make him a prisoner on the same a poor man would be or liberate him and not make a mockery of our penal institutions.

LOCAL PATRIOTISM.

The Ladies' Home Trade League is welcome In a circular letter received by the Merchants' Exchange last night the new organization introduced itself and announced that its objects are to keep trade among the Oakland merchants and to provide weekly entertainments at which business men could advertize their special attractions

This is the right kind of spirit. All the resolutions passed by the Board of Trade and Merchants' Exchange and all the arguments made by the newspapers form only the theoretical part of the situation, and all would be useless unless the shoppers undertook the practical end of it The Bell Society has already done a great deal in this direction, and now comes the Ladies' Home Trade League determined to carry on the good work.

That is the way to build up the town. The more money that is spent with our local merchants, the more varied and extensive will be the stocks they can offer for sale and it only needs a little local patriotism to get the thing started properly The home establishments will give just as good, and in many cases better, bargains than can be obtained in San Francisco, so no argument can be advanced why the money should be taken away from Oakland and expended for the benefit of the storekeepers across the bay.

People who have consciences should be careful how they use them in these days when they are getting rare Recently a man at Blairstown, Ind, had a fit It was caused by an employe, who thirty-four years ago had taken small quantities of money from the drawer, he knew not how much in all, but was sure that $10 would cover the whole amount, with interest, and enclosed a money order for that sum He stated that he was very sorry he had stolen the money, and hoped to be forgiven and to meet him in a better world"

The employer very nearly started for the better world from the shock.

The Vallejo Chronicle is seriously in error It says "An insurance solicitor desiring to get a quantity of cheap advertising caused a story to be published to the effect that he had written a policy on the life of Mrs Stanford for $1,000 000 Mrs Stanford lost no time in exposing the fake, and now that reckless agent is without honor or respect in this country. He staked his reputation to increase his income and has lost both, not alone this, but he has exhibited the fool that is in him

Instead of being "without honor or respect" that agent can get a job anywhere except in Vallejo

The editor of the Mountain Echo must have trouble in his establishment. What does he mean by this?

If a rich man robs a rich man, it is considered only a shrewd, social little game, and if a rich man robs a poor man, it's of little importance for the poor man can't lose much if he loses his all, but if a poor man robs a rich man it is a horrible crime, and the poor man goes up for a long term of years if not for a lifetime

Who has he robbed? Recently the same paper published a paragraph about the absence of coin in the Angels Camp sanctum

Chicago has an airship The Inter-Ocean says "It is well known in political circles that the ship was due in Chicago last night to carry away Carter H Harrison from the clamorous crowd of office-seekers He thought that a short loaf in the regions of clouds would put him in condition to meet the gang"

It is said that the prize fight kinetoscope negatives are spoiled, and very likely they will remain spoiled until the hostile legislatures adjourn Then we shall expect to hear of some new development of photography that will promptly restore them

A HAPPY FAMILY.

The Head of It Is a Veteran Who Knew Grant and Sherman.

W. C Cubery the veteran printer, writes the following pretty story in the Alameda Encinal

It is a custom of mine on pleasant Sunday mornings to lay aside all care and wander at will over our beautiful town, so you see I am competent to decide what family is the happiest in Alameda Now most of your readers would expect me to take them to some great mansion, surrounded by spacious grounds No' happiness is not found among the wealthy I have heard more laughter in one hour on the hill where the Protestant Orphan Asylum is located than I ever heard in years on envied Nob Hill. If the masses realized how little real happiness follows in the footsteps of the rich, their envy would turn into sympathy, for I say it, without fear of contradiction, the man who has his health, is free from bad habits and is not crushed with debt, is a happy man.

It was a strange way in which I found this happy family I was on my way to Bay Farm Island—that abode of the exclusive families of Alameda—when just as I crossed the bridge I saw a giant of a man digging clams He was an old soldier Did you ever see an old soldier that was not sociable? Among other things he told me of this happy family, and of course I was anxious to see it On the way to the house I learned he had been with Grant and Sherman But Grant and Sherman, in all their glory, could not compare with the "style" of the head of this happy family. He wore a "full dress" uniform—for doubtless he remembered it was the Sabath Day—and he strutted about as if he was the only candidate in the field and sure of an election Next I saw his wife, whom the soldier informed me weighs but half a pound, and bless the little thing, she put on more "airs" than her husband, for she had charge of nine little ones all her own How they were cared for! No mother in Israel ever kept watch and ward with greater vigilance! This was not all her family, however, for she had a daughter who was absent, but before I left I had the pleasure of seing her. The bump of caution being developed in this young mother, she had taken the precaution to make her nest on the kitchen table and there she sat with becoming dignity patiently awaiting the result of her fidelity; and that young lady had a sister who had taken possession of the front parlor for the same laudable object!

Can you wonder that the old soldier and his wife are proud of the happiest family in Alameda. If you must have the name it is—H C Garlock's bantam family, and if I mistake not if anything should hapen to that little flock the old soldier and his good wife would be as sad and sorrowful as any household who had lost the joy of their heart.

ALONG THE COAST.

Randsburg is a disappointment to those who think the picturesque and the woolly are essential features of a mining camp They are so prosaic in Randsburg that they even fine flamboyant citizens for disturbing the peace.

Patrons of the Santa Monica electric line are not enthusiastic in praise of the system of running cars that involves back-tracking three or four times every trip It should not be difficult to arrange a schedule that takes some account of the location of switches.

While the outgoing San Diego Council has been endeavoring to plunge the city into an increased debt of $102 000 for an electric plant, the City Auditor has figured out the city expenses and receipts for the coming year, and concluded that there will be a deficit of at least $31,565.

The frequency of accidents to bicyclists on the streets of Los Angeles appears to be due to carelessness and inattention to the law of the road on the part of riders and of drivers of vehicles. The habit of riding between the tracks of trolley lines seems to be as general as it is reckless, and the only wonder is that more riders are not injured by collisions with cars

The old-timers who announced that they would ride high wheels to Santa Monta yesterday weakened—all but four of them—and concluded that taking heacers is not as much fun as it used to be And how the high wheel men did jeer at the safety in its early days! The "ordinary" of a few years ago is quite extraordinary now, and it has fallen in value from $150 to two-bits.

The Council will meet this morning and as usual the question is being asked, what vetoes will the Mayor send in? The relations between the Mayor and the Council are such that nothing gives the Mayor keener delight than to disapprove measures passed by the Council, and nothing excites more extravagant joy in the hearts of the Councilmen than an opportunity to pass an ordinance, the objections of the Mayor to the contrary notwithstanding.

The progress made by the drill at the oil well has been very satisfactory the past few weeks, and the prospect of striking the fluid in paying quantities is now very bright At a depth of 160 feet a two-foot vein of oil sand was struck, then at a depth of 185 feet a six-foot vein was encountered The well is now down 280 feet and the last thirty-five feet the drill has been in oil sand, which is becoming softer and more porous as the drilling proceeds. As the oil seepage into the well is growing stronger, the gentlemen interested in the enterprise feel confident that oil in paying quantities is near at hand.—Escondido Advocate

One steamer took out 120 tons, another 150 tons of San Diego County products yesterday. Allowing ten tons to a car, that is eighty-seven carloads, and in that form the output would look much bigger than it does when hustled off in two shiploads Eighty-seven cars in this country is equal to about eight train loads and an output of eight train loads a day would be accepted as quite a business.—San Diego Sun.

The Los Nietos Walnut Growers' Association handled 2,813,664 pounds of English walnuts or more properly Madeira nuts, of the crop of 1896. This brought in the very respectable sum of $156,905 80. This sum was realized from a little over 4,000 acres and is but a small fraction of the nut industry in Southern California. And the nut growing industry is yet in an infantile stage.—Redlands Citrograph.

The flow of water from Barker tunnel shows no signs of diminishing. The water contains sufficient sulphur to make it soft, though not enough to be noticeable to the taste The presence of sulphur indicates that the flow will be permannt, for a sulphur spring was never known to go dry.—Santa Barbara Independent.

SHOOTING STARS.

"Mike," said Plodding Pete, "did you know dat dis here world keeps a movin' right along, 'round an' round?"

"Course It's been doin' dat a long time," replied Meandering Mike

"I wisht I knowed which way it's goin'"

"Fur woot?"

"I'd like to make a practice o' travelin' in der opposite direction, so's ter kind o' counteract de speed"

"Hiram," said Mrs. Corntossel. "I'm afraid our Congressman ain't makin' the impression at Washington that we expected.'

"Why he's made some fine speeches"

"I know that But I don't see the newspapers goin' inter no conniptions about the kind o' clothes he wears"

As patient was his Lenten mood,
As any man could hope to make it,
He might have kept this fortitude
Had Easter bills not come to shake it.

"I guess I'll propose to Henrietta," said the young man, thoughtfully.

"I had supposed you admired Matilda most'

"Oh, I do admire her ever so much But I've got some poetry addressed to 'Marietta,—a young woman who married last month, and I'm afraid it would be a good deal of work to go through it and make it rhyme with Matilda."

'It's wonderful," said the man who is always earnest, "to see how they can develop the intellects of the lower animals. There is no telling how much we may be able to benefit them by systematic education."

"What sugested that idea?"

"A chimpansee that I saw He was once in a perfectly wild condition. Now they have by patient training taught him to chew tobacco, smoke a pipe, play cards and drink whisky!"

AS OTHERS SEE US.

Bart Morgan, who died in Oakland on Friday last, was one of the pioneer Republican voters of the State. The cause of his death was paralysis of the brain, and he had been a mere wreck for the past two years It would have been a hard thing for a stranger to have gone in and looked at him as he lay in his bed for the past year and realize that the poor, stranded hulk before him was at one time as shrewd and clear-headed a politician as there was in the State He was a clerk in several legislatures and afterward held prominent places in the internal revenue department There were all sorts of scandals flying about at one time and another, but none of them ever touched Bart Morgan It was that which showed his shrewdness over a good many other contemporary politicians who were in a hurry to get rich. They came to grief and wound up badly, while Bart always enjoyed life as he went along till stricken down with his fatal malady.—Los Angeles Times.

It is to be hoped that Oakland will be successful in obtaining the Valley road terminus Her business men are certainly working hard to get it, and as San Francisco does not appear to care whether the road goes there or not, they will probably be successful.—Alameda Encinal.

The latest matter of news in regard to the movements of railroad projectors in and about Oakland is that Saturday a party of men were in Berkeley looking over the ground between Point Richmond and the terminus of the San Pablo avenue cable line with a view of establishing an electric road to connect the two points It is understood that plans to that effect are fast maturing and that sometime early this week the details of the undertaking will be made public.—Berkeley Gazette.

CUM GRANO RATIO.

When a Ness County, Kan, farmer runs out of meat, the Kansas City Star says, he steps to his door just before he goes to bed and lets go both barrels of his shotgun. The next morning he picks up enough jackrabbits to keep the pot boiling for a week

The following is the daily ration of the animals at the Jardin des Plantes in Paris Ten pounds of flesh for each lion, tiger and bear, seven pounds for the panther, three pounds to six pounds for the hyena, one pound for the wild cat, and two pounds for the eagle

Careful weighing shows that an ordinary bee not loaded, weighs the five-thousandth part of a pound, so that it takes 5,000 bees to make a pound But the loaded bee, when he comes in fresh from the fields and flowers, loaded with honey or bee-bread, weighs nearly three times more

Joseph Brosmore of Covington, Ky, is the owner of a wonderful sheep The animal is eighteen months old, has five legs and six feet and is lively The left side contains two shoulder bones in full growth, while on the other side there is no sign of such a bone, but instead there are two legs On the end of the fifth leg it has two feet.

Few hunters have returned from the woods with more satisfaction than that felt by Miss Jennie Elliot of South Sebec, Me, who recently saw two deer grazing in her father's mowing field, and succeeded in getting an excellent photographic snap shot at them In the picture one of the deer is in the attitude of leaping, all four of its legs being off the ground.

There are several specimen of rhinocerous which avoid an encounter with man, and will only fight when hard pressed or when their young are in danger Others, however, and more particularly the keitloa, will attack man or beast simply to gratify their love of fighting The lion never risks an encounter with a rhinoceros, save when absolutely necessary for his own safety, and it is but seldom the elephant cares to measure strength with him, for the larger animal is far less quick in his movements than the smaller.

One of the snake stories of antiquity is told of the Roman army under Regulus during the first Punic war. Its course was stopped near a small stream in Africa by a serpent sixty feet long, and the doughty Romans though not afraid of the Carthaginians, were dismayed by this African "varmint," which exceeded in size anything they had ever seen Military engines were brought up, and the snake was destroyed its skin was sent to Rome and preserved there in a temple for over four hundred years.

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All Spring Humors, sores, eruptions, boils, pimples, etc., are cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla, the "king of medicines." Read these letters:

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Letter No. 1.

MRS. M. J. HARTLEY, Lovett, Georgia.

No Sore, No Erysipelas.

"C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.:

"Dear Sirs:—I want to say once more, Hood's Sarsaparilla is all you claim for it. I haven't had any sore or erysipelas since I used Hood's Sarsaparilla several years ago and was cured by it. I trust many may be benefited by Hood's Sarsaparilla as I have been. I recommend it highly as a blood medicine."

Letter No. 2.

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Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is sold by all druggists. Price $1, six for $5.

Hood's Pills cure Liver Ills, easy to take, easy to operate. 25c.

TALK OF THE DAY.

A Chicago girl fell from her bicycle not long ago, and the man who helped her to remount has since become her husband. The tumbling habit may now be expected to spread with great rapidity.—Cleveland Leader.

It is a poor rule that won't work both ways. A Chicago man fell from his bicycle not long ago, and the wheelwoman who assisted him to rise has become his wife Many Chicago men will doubtless fall off their bicycles when they hear of this incident

She (petulantly)—Women occupying front seats in the theater who take off their hats show as much consideration for others as men do

He—No, they don't Don't you see that the men in the front row don't even wear hair on their heads?—Brooklyn Life

The citizens of Cambridge, Mass, are talking about celebrating the tenth anniversary of the town's exemption from the liquor saloon, which will soon occur.

Mistress—Why, Mary, you have dated your letter a week ahead.

Maid—Yis'm, it will take over a week for it to get to me mother, and she wouldn't care to be reading old news, even from me.—Boston Transcript.

During the last twenty-five years about three hundred monuments to distinguished persons have been erected in France, and 127 committees are now collecting money for more.

Mrs Korrect—You said you were going to a club smoker last night?

Mr Korrect—Yes, my dear.

Mrs. Korrect—Didn't you make a mistake? You had every appearance of having attended a drinker when you reached home this morning.—Philadelphia North American

The railroads west of the Missouri have agreed to give free transportation for the fifty carloads of grain which Iowa is going to send to India.

Willie—I told her my love was so great that my brain was on fire.

Charlie—What did she say to that?

Willie—Told me I had better blow it out.—Yale Record.

According to a cycling journal, the State of Missouri spent $600,000 for Supervisors in 1896 to oversee road work, the cost of which in itself was only $490,000, or, in other words, an expense of more than $1 000 000 was involved in getting less than $500,000 worth of work done

Miss Mobile—Well, Martha, how is your husband now?

Martha—Po'ly miss, po'ly. He's got that exclematory rheumatism

Miss Mobile—You mean inflammatory rheumatism, Martha. "Exclamatory" is to cry out.

Martha (with solemn conviction)—That's it, mum, that's it! He don't do nothing but holler!—Northern Christian Advocate.

Some one has figured out in a London paper that between thirty and forty millions sterling will be spent by the Queen's loyal subjects in securing windows and other points of vantage from which to watch her pass in the great procession of June 22d

OLD TIMES.

Scene the Ship of State

Captain T Corkervelt (recitative)—"My gallant crew, good morning"

Chorus of government employees—"Sir, good morning!"

Captain—"I hope you are quite well."

Chorus—"Quite well, and you, sir?"

Captain—"I am in reasonable health, and happy to meet you all once more."

Chorus—"You do us proud, sir"

Orchestra—"Zum, zum"

Captain Corkervelt— I am Assistant Secretary of this great naveo"

Chorus—"And a right good assistant, too"

Captain —
"You're very, very good;
I have made it understood
That I know a thing or two,
Though they put me in the papers
And accuse me of odd capers,
I kept my equanimitee.
They sought to make me nervous
With remarks on Civil Service,
Yet I never used a big, big D."
(Etc)

"I'll try my best to satisfy you all."

Chorus —
'That's a very hard thing to do;
You're exceedingly polite,
And we think it only right
To be quite sincere with you
For, with you back in the traces
We expect to hold our places,
With salaries each year enlarged,
From the oldest to the latest,
From the smallest to the greatest,
We must never never be discharged'"

RHYMES OF THE DAY.

A Reversed Proverb—

"Be good and you will be happy,"
Is a proverb that when understood
Means simply, by changing the wording,
Be happy and you will be good"

The child laughs out in her gladness,
No burden of care does she know,
God knew that the child must be happy
In order to prosper and grow

Health we say, is the greatest of blessings,
More precious than beauty or wealth,
And the doctors unite in declaring
That happiness brings us good health.

So let us learn to be happy,
Nor yield to a sorrowful mood,
And let us remember the proverb
"Be happy and you will be good."

—Annie E Smiley in Boston Globe.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Mrs. Edward H. Lohmann is visiting in St. Helena.

Miss Carrie Evans of Fruitvale is the guest of Miss Nellie Conners of Santa Clara.

Charles Mann went to Los Gatos yesterday.

Walter Woods of East Oakland is spending the summer at Livermore.

Mrs. T. P. Hogan is in San Jose, where she is slowly convalescing from a severe illness.

R. M Turner of this city visited Marysville looking after business interests.

J. E. Morris was registered at Santile, Wash, last week, being on a tour through the northwest.

Rev W E. Olter has gone to Concord on a visit.

Rev. F. J. Akers has returned from Vacaville.

Miss Lillie Harvey is visiting at Petaluma.

R .M Turner of this city visited Marysville last week.

Mrs. J. W. Stevens left on a visit to Sacramento a few days ago

Miss Margaret Bradley has returned from a visit in Suisun.

Mr. and Mrs Whellock are in Madera, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dyer.

Miss Edna Comstock of this city is teaching in Tulare County, having charge of the Grapevine district school.

Mrs H Brown has returned from Suisun, where she has been staying with her parents, Mr and Mrs Paul Meyer.

Mrs. S G. Nye is staying with friends in Napa.

Mrs Captain Haven is here from Napa, on a visit to friends.

Fred Campbell, ex-State Superintendent of Public Instruction, is staying in Phoenix, A. T.

Miss E R Fairnham, Miss E Chapman, Theodore de Laguna and E. L. Hood have been appointed by the Graduate Club of the University, a committee of arrangements for the tug boat party of next Saturday.

St Andrew's Society will give a reception to J. S Collins Thursday evening at their rooms on Tenth street.

Mrs. J. G Ressegue and Jennie Ressegue have returned to their home, 1267 Eleventh avenue East Oakland, after a pleasant visit to Kirksville, Mo.

Invitations are out for a charity assembly given by the Catholic Ladies Aid Society on Easter Monday evening, April 19th. Tickets and invitations may be procured from the members and at Reilly's drug store, Broadway and Twelfth streets There will be a fine literary programme The Hon Frank Murasky of San Francisco will give an address Miss Kate Burns of Berkeley, Mrs Eehlen, Miss Webber and the Athenian Quartette will assist in making the evening all that can be desired As these entertainments are for the purpose of obtaining funds to distribute to the poor and needy they are always well attended.

MISS WILLIAMS' OPENING.

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Taking effect March 28th, the Northern Pacific overland train will leave Portland at 11 A. M instead of 1 P. M., thus making immediate connection at Spokane for all points in the new Kootenai Mining District Tickets at lowest rates to Rossland, Northport, and Trail Creek. T. K. Stateler, General Agent, 638 Market street, San Francisco.

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The Local Scientist Says He Did Not Steal the Photo.

ALL BLAMED ON A PRINTER.

The U. C. Professor Does Not Want to Father the Article.

H. D. Hougham, the local amateur scientist, is feeling very uncomfortable.

Professor Howison of the University is feeling just as uncomfortable as Mr. Hougham.

The mutual discomfort of these two gentlemen was caused by a picture that appeared on the front page of the Sunday edition of the Call a week ago. It was a very good picture of Professor Howison, but under it was the inscription, "H. D. Hougham, scientist, of Oakland. This discoverer claims that he has found the mechanical "why of gravitation, whose existence Newton conceded with the confession that he could not establish its identity.

Professor Howison does not take offense at the use of his picture, and although he objects to the name beneath it, even that is not the greatest cause of his discomfiture. Around the picture are three columns of matter that treat of many scientific problems in an entirely new manner. Although Professor Howison has nothing to say regarding the opinions of Mr. Hougham, he thinks that there are many people who will persist in connecting the scientific data with the well known features in the middle of them, and this is a condition of affairs that he does not appreciate.

HOUGHAM'S VIEWS.

"I am innocent of the whole matter," said Mr. Hougham today. "I supplied the article and I also sent my own picture with it. How the mistake was made I do not know, except that it was a mistake such as I am told is likely to occur in any newspaper office where a great number of cuts are used in every edition.

"Professor Howison is very annoyed over the mistake, but of course he does not blame me. I did not willfully steal a loan of his face, and of course I would sooner that my face had been in the middle of my own ideas, but regrets will avail nothing now.

"Although Professor Howison is an old and well known scientist, and I am but an amateur I am sure there is nothing in the article of which he need be ashamed, even if the reader should retain an idea that the features in the cut are those of the man responsible for the article.

"I am going East tomorrow morning and shall lay my ideas and conclusions before several well known scientists and when I return I expect to have another good story. When it is published, however, it will not be illustrated with another man's face. As a matter of fact I am not at all ashamed of my own physiognomy."

Advent Christian Conference.

The Advent Christian Conference of Northern California will be in session this week in this city. Ministers and delegates from the various churches will be present. This convention will hold its sessions in connection with the Advent Christian Church and the meetings now in progress at Epworth Hall, which are led by Elder Miles Grant of Boston. There will be three preaching services each day as follows: At 10:30 A. M., 3:30 P. M. and 8 P. M.

THE CUT HOUGHAM SENT.

MRS. MILLS INDIGNANT

Many False References Made to the Historic College.

ANOTHER STORY DISPROVED.

Miss Jennie Vernon Was Never a Student at the Place.

HAS SUFFERED IN SILENCE.

Now the President Thinks It Has Become Necessary to Speak.

A dispatch from Portland, Oregon, was published this morning stating that Miss Jennie Vernon, a graduate of Mills Seminary, had mysteriously disappeared from the northern city. It stated that the young woman's husband was Frank Gammon, who was brought home dead at Oakland, having been killed by a friend while hunting.

The statements are incorrect in every particular. There never was a young lady at Mills College named Vernon; there was never an inquest held in this city on anybody named Frank Gammon, and no one of that name has ever died in this city, as shown by the Health office records, as also those of Mountain View Cemetery.

"It is high time that this practice of trying to make a story interesting by falsely associating it with Mills College should cease," said Mrs. Mills this morning. "For many years we have been annoyed by reading that all kinds of young women have been graduates from here. As the number of our graduates grows so does the tendency of the unreliable news chronicler to use the name of Mills College whenever the opportunity offers.

"It is not only unpleasant to our graduates, but is is an injustice to our institution. Hitherto I have said nothing, preferring to ignore the many false references to us, but this dispatch today convinces me that I am only doing my duty in speaking very plainly. I have looked carefully over my records and I find that I have never had a young lady at the Seminary named Vernon. I should have at once remembered the name, but I have looked through my list to make myself doubly sure. It is not at all surprising among all the hundreds of graduates that have gone out from this institution that there should be a few who have gained some notoriety, but I do not object to the truth. What I feel grieved at is that such frequent attempts to make a story interesting are made by reference to Mills College."

Secretary Paul Schaffer of the Board of Health says that no death of a man named Frank Gammons has ever been registered in his office and the same statement is borne out by the records of the Morgue and Mountain View Cemetery.

If you are a user of a fine baking powder like Trophy keep it in fine company—such as Tillmann's Spices and Flavoring Extracts.

NOT FOR BERKELEY.

The Contra Costa Water Company Will Not Go There.

Director R. S. Knight of the Contra Costa Water Company denies the statement made by a morning paper to the effect that the Contra Costa Water Company would supply water to Berkeley. The Alameda Water Company is now supplying water to the University town, and the proposition was that the Contra Costa Company take the mains.

"I know nothing concerning the statements that appear in a morning paper," said Mr. Knight. "We do not intend to supply water to Berkeley unless the Town Trustees make us more favorable terms than they have at present. It would be very expensive to lay pipes out there, as we would be forced to go through a district where for a mile or more we would receive little or no patronage, as there are no houses. The competition between the Contra Costa and Oakland Water Companies compels us to consider expenditure, and I am certain that we will not expend so much money in laying pipes, etc., when there will be such small returns for the outlay."

Passion Week Services.

Rev. J. K. McLean will preach this evening in the chapel of the First Con-

A "RACKET" OVER TENNIS

Stanford and Berkeley Not Settled as to the Date of the Contest.

The Election of Manager of the Aid Society for Students.

BERKELEY, April 14.—Another dispute between Berkeley and Stanford has arisen over the date of the tennis tournament. The Stanford boys want to postpone the game until May 14th, in order that Freeman, their crack player, who is also on the baseball team, may get through with that series of games before he begins on the tennis. Magee and Allen are earnestly opposed to this arrangement, as it makes the game altogether too late in the term. The dispute will be settled this week.

The Trustees Monday night decided that Dr. Koch's tuberculin test should be applied to all cows in Berkeley and from Washington. There are 800 cows in Berkeley and it is estimated that eighty will be killed.

Poundmaster Lauterbach reported the capture of 112 dogs during March, of which eighty-nine were killed, eleven were redeemed, and twelve remain in the pound.

Kimball G. Easton received the contract for macadamizing Addison street.

A meeting of the senior class of the University has been called for this afternoon by President McWade. A plan is on foot to give a Wagnerian concert in connection with their commencement exercises and the musical geniuses are highly enthusiastic over the affair. Anton Schott will aid the students.

Manager Barnes has succeeded in persuading President Kellogg to excuse twenty-five track men from drill for the rest of the term. There will be three more drill days.

The Board of Directors of the Student's Aid Society have unanimously chosen W. W. Bristol to succeed himself next term as manager of the society. An assistant has been engaged to take charge of the second-hand book department. Students are requested to hand in their books, for sale, before the close of the term, in order that they may be catalogued before the beginning of next term.

Bishop Nichols will preach the Easter sermon in St. Mark's Church. The anniversary of the vested choir will also be celebrated next Sunday.

The Alumni Association of the Berkeley High School will hold a meeting at the High School next Friday evening, at 8 P. M., at the call of President Clifford McClellan. The election of new officers will be part of the programme.

The Young Woman's Christian Association held its regular weekly meeting yesterday afternoon in Stiles Hall. Miss Belle Richter delivered an interesting address in connection with the work of the society.

WHERE HEROES SLEEP.

Shot and Shell That Have Their Place in History.

Ordnance Which Will Mark the G. A. R. Plot in Mt. View.

Cannon-balls to the number of 784 rolled from the decks of the steamer Unadilla down on the City Wharf this morning with a somewhat warlike rumble, and the martial aspect of the otherwise peaceful wharf was increased by the presence of four brass mounted howitzers, all brought down from the Mare Island Naval Yards for the purpose of decorating the Soldiers' Plot in the Mountain View Cemetery.

The guns and balls have come as a gift from the government, obtained through the services of Senator Perkins, and more particularly of Representative Hilborn.

Through the courtesy of Admiral Kirkland the Unadilla made a special trip for the purpose, leaving the island at 7:30 o'cloc this morning, and arriving at the wharf at 10 o'clock, under command of Captain D. Glynn, and piloted by Captain P. J. Montague, of this city.

The cannon-ball, 700 of which are 9-inch shell, and 84 of which are 12-pound solid shell, were all, or a large portion of them, brought around the Horn in 1855 on the steamer Independence, while one of the guns has, for the last forty years, fired the 9 o'clock signal, on that vessel, which has served as a receiving ship in the Vallejo yards for that period.

Two of the guns have been in Panama, but all the ships on which they have done service, are gone except the Independence.

The shells will be taken out to the Cemetery today under the direction of Superintendent Smith. They weigh twenty-eight tons, making nine loads for the drayman.

Placing the shells in position around the Soldiers' Plot will form one of the most impressive features of the exercises on Memorial Day.

In this connection, it is an interesting fact that Captain P. J. Montague, who piloted the Unadilla down this morning, is one of the three survivors of the crew of the Independence when she rounded the Horn in 1855 and brought these very shells from New York to this State, and, when Captain Montague's call sounds to answer the long roll, he will rest with the same shell around him, side by side with comrades who have gone before.

THE MAYOR'S VETO.

Mayor Thomas has vetoed the ordinance empowering the City Treasurer to employ extra clerks in his office to collect taxes, etc., and fixing the salary of such clerks at $100 a month. The Mayor gives as a reason for his veto, that the ordinance is indefinite and that $100 is 25 per cent more than he believes such clerks should be paid.

THE WEATHER.

WEATHER FORECAST FOR 36 HOURS ENDING 5 P. M., THURSDAY.

Northern California—Fair tonight and Thursday, except foggy on coast tonight; light variable winds.

Southern California—Fair tonight and Thursday, except foggy on coast tonight; light variable winds.

San Francisco and Vicinity—Fair tonight and Thursday, except foggy along the coast tonight; brisk westerly wind in afternoon.

W. H. HAMMON, Forecast Official.

The Stock Market.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, April 14.—The failure of the London market to respond to the sharp improvements here yesterday excited a depressing influence which was intensified by heavy realizing in sugar that stock losing 1½. Transactions in sugar were of enormous volume.

Round amounts of sugar and Chicago gas were offered, depressing these shares. Vanderbilt shares moved narrowly and displayed considerable resistance to the selling movement. The reactionary movement was stemmed after 11 o'clock by the demand from the shorts. The market, however, lapsed into dullness at the improvement. The bond market held generally firm with trading only meagre.

Chicago Grain.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, April 14.—Wheat, April, 68¼; May, 68¾. Corn, April, 23½; May, 23¾. Oats, April 16; May, 16½. Pork, April, $5.25; May, $5.27½. Lard, April, $4.10; May, $4.15@4.17½. Ribs, April, $4.60; May, $4.80@4.62½. Flax, 74. Timothy, $2.65. Rye, 32½. Barley, 32@33.

Chicago Sheep.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

FEAST OF PALMS.

No Such Festival Is Known in the Episcopal Church.

THE VIEWS OF REV. DR. LAW.

No Reference Made to the Day in the English Prayer-Book.

APING A ROMAN PRACTICE.

Sharp Words for Brothers of the Cloth Who Observe the Day.

At the Church of the Advent, East Oakland, Monday night, Rev. Dr. Law delivered the following address explaining why he had made no reference to the preceding day as Palm Sunday and criticising other Episcopal clergymen for their making use of palms in the decoration of their churches on that occasion:

"In answer to many inquiries addressed to me personally since Sunday I wish to give you some points for your study and consideration.

"This Church of the Advent did not make any mention of Palm Sunday, nor decorate with palms, because we are not engaged in helping the Romanists to promulgate their peculiar teachings, and Palm Sunday and all that grows out of it is a purely Roman institution.

"The Church of England and the American Episcopal Church, which is a daughter of the former, does not know such a Sunday as Palm Sunday. That name is not once mentioned in any English prayer book, or in the American prayer book, nor is there a lesson appointed to be read, nor an epistle or gospel which gives the slightest authority for giving prominence to the palms used in strewing the path of Christ in his triumphal entry into Jerusalem.

"You may have fancied that it is in some sense an Anglican observance, but it is not. You may go as far back as the prayer book of Edward the Sixth in 1549, the first book printed in English, and you will nowhere find Palm Sunday even remotely alluded to. The fact is that the Protestant world has been caught napping, and have thoughtlessly been surprised into helping the Roman Catholics promulgate their peculiar and unwarranted ideas.

"Then, when you come to think of it, what is there about the palms which should make it at all suitable to elevate them into such prominence as was given them by some of our Oakland and city Episcopal Churches yesterday. They even went so far as to decorate with them, in some of the churches, and the clergy alluded to the day as Palm Sunday, when it is everywhere in this Anglican Communion known as the Sunday next before Easter." This latter is a name of honor. The palms were only used to strew the road along with the garments of the people on that Sunday, and they shouted 'Hosanna.' Otherwise no significance attaches to the palms.

"Just as appropriately call it 'Garment Sunday,' or better 'Hosanna Sunday.' How it must please the wiley Romanists to see that this fad of theirs is aped by the protestant churches of Christendom, in direct opposition to the teachings of the prayer books of the churches known as Anglican! Now, you know why we did not have a Palm Sunday observance. It is because we are not Romanists, nor even 'ritualists' who try to make people forget that we are very much different from the Roman Church. The Romans may go on with their nonsense about Palm Sunday, but we shall never be a party to that foolishness until this church of ours authorizes us to substitute some other name for the one she teaches, viz: the "Sunday next before Easter."

JUMPED OVERBOARD.

An Unknown Suicides in the Bay on His Way From San Francisco.

A young man jumped overboard from the deck of the narrow gauge ferry boat Bay City on the 11:45 o'clock trip from San Francisco last night. He made the jump just opposite Goat Island. An alarm was given and a boat lowered, but no trace of the suicide could be found. Louis Clement, of 1641 Adeline street, this city was an eye witness to the affair. Up to a late hour this afternoon the case had not been reported at the Oakland morgue.

The professional spinster must prepare to be torn between her devotion to her tutelary familiar and her dread of the inimical bacillus. Cats have been pronounced to be among the most efficacious distributors of germs.

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SOME NEW ENTERTAINMENTS.

Various Subjects Discussed by the Merchants' Exchange.

The directors of the Merchants' Exchange held quite a lengthy meeting in the rooms of the organization in the Central Bank building last evening.

In the absence of President Witcher, Vice-President Arper presided.

Those present were: Theo. Cier, F. Sinclair, G. W. Reed, J. F. W. Sohst, H. Tum Suden, G. T. Burtchael, D. C. Brown, F. M. Farwell, H. C. Coward, G. W. Arper, W. W. Knickerbocker, E. E. Bunce, O. B. Tanneyhill, E. M. Schleuter, H. C. Cushing, F. C. Howe, H. Gard, J. C. Champlin and Mr. Walker.

The first matter brought up was the controversy between the Exchange and Judge Waymire. Secretary Pearce has been investigating alleged judgments against the Judge and reported that he had found such judgments to the extent of $3,916.16. Judge Waymire's answer, which has been published in the papers, to the attack made upon him by the Exchange was read.

The trouble arose out of the bill to garnishee the wages of public officials, which was killed in the Assembly and which Judge Waymire is alleged to not only have voted against, but also to have used his influence against it. As a reason for Judge Waymire's stand in the matter, the merchants say that he, himself, would have been effected by the bill.

It was stated that the matter against Judge Waymire had all been forwarded to the California delegation in Washington. On motion of Director Sinclair the secretary was instructed to forward the information direct to President McKinley.

GOING TO McKINLEY.

"When he gets it," said Mr. Sinclair, "President McKinley will feel honored at having ridden two hours with James A. Waymire.'

"I know this is a very unpleasant thing to do," began Mr. Arper, "but——

"I think it is a very pleasant thing," interrupted Mr. Brown.

"While the secretary is looking up these things," said W. W. Knickerbocker, "I would suggest that he look up Judge Waymire's connection with the Royce defalcation in the Fountville home matter. General W. H. L. Barnes can throw some light on the subject."

Mr. Riordan's objections to the matter of allowing contractors to do street work on Eleventh street, when he was not allowed to work on Fifteenth street was taken up and Secretary Pearce explained that there must be some misunderstanding between Mr. Riordan and Superintendent of Streets Miller. No further action was taken in the matter.

THE PROPOSED ROAD.

The report of the Committee of the Whole on the proposed new road into Contra Costa County was then taken up. Mr. Witcher was chairman of the committee, but, in his absence, the chair asked who made the most noise on the excursion last Sunday. He was answered that Messrs. Sohst and Coward had such honors about equally divided and a compromise was effected by asking Mr. Wixson to make the report.

"I went with the other members of this Exchange over the new road for the first time Sunday. The grade is in good condition and the road is in splendid condition. A very few dollars would be all that would be necessary to work out the road and widen it in the places needed. The road is now in such condition that we may go to Mr. Adams and ask him for the right of way through his property. I would like to see a committee appointed tonight to confer with Mr. Adams and then go to the Supervisors and ask for an appropriation. I would like to see the road completed before they begin hauling their crops. After that road is completed, it will be one of the nicest drives in the State. It is hard to realize that we have that beautiful country so near at hand. The whole road can be seen from a distance. From the race track it looks like a beautiful panaroma. I believe, in a short time, the Supervisors of Contra Costa County will take hold of their side of the road and we will have a magnificent driveway between here and Lafayette. I don't know what could be better for Oakland, and if I owned Oakland the road would be built tomorrow. I believe if the Merchants' Exchange owned Oakland, the road would be built as soon. If we, as business men feel that way, I see no reason why the Supervisors should not make the appropriation of four or five thousand dollars."

Director Brown agreed with Mr. Wixson in everything that that gentleman had said, but he thought some difficulty would be experienced in the matter of going before the Board of Supervisors.

"I am thinking about Clark's road law, which deprives us of the general road fund. If that law is constitutional, we will have to wait two years before we can do anything. There were thirty-five people on the new road into Contra Costa County last Sunday and every individual there was enthusiastic over the prospects of opening up the Kennedy grade. If we just think of the thousands of acres of territory that will be opened up by such a road we can realize the benefits of such an undertaking."

MAKING ROADS NOW.

Mr. Wixson wished to know if the Supervisors had not the power to replenish the general road fund, and Mr. Brown explained that, under the new law, such improvements would have to be paid out of the road district fund. Mr. Brown said that it had been the custom of the Supervisors to set aside some 30 per cent of the funds for a road fund to be used for the best interest of the county. He said Supervisor Mitchell was as enthusiastic as any one at the prospects of having the new road, on the excursion last Sunday.

Mr. Reed wanted to know if there could not some time before Clark's road law went into effect and Mr. Brown answered that it would take effect sixty days after passage.

Mr. Arper suggested that, as the new directory of the Exchange would be elected on May 5th, the matter of rushing the road through be laid over till the new members were elected.

MR. SOHST SPEAKS.

Mr. Sohst then spoke on the prospective road question.

"There is an old saying," said he, "of 'O, what a difference in the morning.' I'm glad that the morning brought no change in the enthusiasm of the members who were on the excursion Sunday. I say by all means appoint a committee and don't wait for another directory. That road certainly ought to be built inside of three months. What if there is no money in the general road fund. The Merchants' Exchange goes ahead at a fearful rate at times. Two years ago we raised for a Fourth of July celebration, $6,000, over $2,000 of which went up in smoke on Lake Merritt. If the Board of Supervisors has not the money to build that road, why can't we raise the money. San Francisco people are doing everything to attract people over there. They are now putting $20,000 into a boulevard. Compare that boulevard with what our proposed road will be and see what you will get."

Mr. Sohst then spoke of the way people would come to Oakland in preference to going elsewhere if the proper drives could be furnished. He said when Mr. Reed came to Oakland he stopped at the Galindo Hotel. Ben Wright took him out for a drive through the Oakland streets and it was that, more than anything else, that induced Mr. Reed to locate here. Mr. Reed, continued Mr. Sohst was responsible for the Ebell building and other such improvements.

Continuing Mr. Sohst gave an outline of the benefits that would accrue from such a road. The eighteen mile drive at Monterey, he said, was known the world over. He was willing to submit to anyone the question whether the proposed road would not surpass the Monterey drive. He said the road which the Exchange had already succeeded in having built had saved many lives, as the old Dingee road was responsible for more than one death by its steep grades.

Mr. Brown spoke in favor of having a committee appointed whether the Supervisors had any money to spend on the matter or not, and Mr. Sohst moved that a committee of five be appointed by next Tuesday evening.

Mr. Reed spoke in favor of the road and said that eight cents a person in the city of Oakland would more than pay for the road.

Mr. Walker again brought up the new road law and said it would run through the land of the Chabots, the Quinns, the Kohlers and Mr. Dingee and on motion of Mr. Sinclair Mr. Dingee, Mr. Adams, Victor H. Metcalf and Supervisor Roeth were invited to be present at the meeting of the Exchange next Tuesday evening.

The following circular from the Ladies' Home Trade League, addressed to the merchants and business men of Oakland and Alameda County was read:

LADIES FOR HOME TRADE.

"Having just pride in our county with its rich productions, its fair townships, and our own city, the center of this fertility, we do hereby agree to unite in an organization to be known as the Ladies' Home Trade League, Oakland, Alameda County, California. We believe the money of its citizens should be expended within our own borders, thereby increasing the capital or our city and county and the thriftiness of our people.

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"We believe the thrift so gained by our city and county would be an inducement for the increase of manufacturing interests. The objects of this association, shall be the keeping of trade in our city and county; to seek the co-operation of the merchants, tradesmen, and all residents of the county to prevent the present custom of a large proportion of our population purchasing their household supplies, clothing and varied articles of necessity and comfort, in San Francisco, quality and prices being equal.

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"We believe much good will accrue from these weekly gatherings, not only attracting the people to purchase goods to obtain tickets, but will keep the question of home purchasing in an agitation and serve as an opportunity to create a spirit of pride among our people for their own county."

Directors Wixson, Cushing and Fish were appointed a committee to confer with the ladies and to report back at the next meeting.

O. B. Tanneyhill of the firm of Kelley & Tanneyhill, proprietors of the Osage Well Manufacturing Company spoke as regards establishing a company for manufacturing purposes here. He has a fine reputation in Waterloo, and the secretary was directed to give him aid in securing concessions for sites, etc. E. E. Bunce also spoke in favor of Mr. Tanneyhill's proposition.

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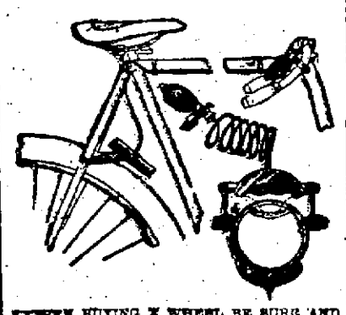

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

Proceedings of Adjourned Regular Meeting of the Board of Supervisors, Monday, April 12, 1897.

The Board of Supervisors met at 10 o'clock A M

The roll was called and all members found to be present

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

RELIEF TO INDIGENTS.

The following persons made application for relief

TO SUPERVISOR CHURCH.

Mrs. Mary Johnson, 1203 Cypress street, age 20 years, native of California, married, no children

Susan Collins, 519 Twenty-first street, age 74 years, native of Ireland, widow, with one child

Josephine Green, 831 Campbell street, age 43 years, native of West Indies, married, no children

Mrs Rose Gabriel, 763 Seventh street, age 49 years, native of Chili, widow and two children

TO HOSPITAL COMMITTEE.

Matilda Miller Seventh and Clay streets age 47 years, native of Canada, widow and one child

TO SUPERVISOR TALCOTT

Alfred St. ens, Melrose, California, age 36, native of California, married and five children

REPORT OF JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

The Judiciary Committee reported favorably upon the following applications

Manuel M. Ayala, Jos P. Darracks A. R. Gruggel and P J Murphy, and thereupon appropriate resolutions were introduced and adopted granting to each of said parties permits to obtain a license for the sale of liquors

REQUISITIONS

Were received from W H Knight, Public Administrator, for register of accounts Referred to Printing Committee

From Chas H Spear, County Recorder, for certain stationery and printing Granted.

REPORTS OF COUNTY AND TOWNSHIP OFFICERS

Reports were received from R T Stratton, surgeon and physician of Receiving Hospital, showing patients admitted 55, patients died 1, patients sent to County Infirmary 1 patients discharged 51, patients remaining March 31, 2, total number of services 190

From Wm Berry, Horticultural Commissioner, showing incoming and outgoing nursery stock since last report 232,215, total for season 561 564

Total number of certificates issued 283.

AWARD OF CONTRACT BRIDGE ACROSS UNION STREET NEAR SAN PABLO AVD

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Mitchell

"Resolved That the bid of Henry J Wahrer, to construct a bridge across Union street near San Pablo avenue, and in Bay Road District for the sum of $105, be and the same is hereby accepted, same being the lowest bid presented, and the contract for the construction of the said bridge be and the same is hereby awarded to Henry J Wahrer with the understanding that the said bridge be completed within fifteen days from this date"

The roll was called and the resolution adopted by the following vote

Ayes—Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Roeth Wells and Chairman Talcott—5

Noes—None

WIDENING OF HIGH STREET

A petition was referred from A. G Nye, Delia M Sweetman and Walter H Lillard protesting against the widening of High street to sixty feet or any other width beyond the original design

Statements were made by Messrs Nye Lillard, Brannan and Talcott, after which further consideration was postponed until the next meeting

EXTENSION OF HIGH STREET

The petition of Sweman Clay & Co and 26 others asking that High street be graded from the old county road to the end of the street as now opened was next brought up for consideration

Messrs Borland, Bochmer, Brannan and others addressed the Board, plans showing the proposed improvements were discussed, after which the matter was postponed until the next meeting, when further consideration will be had

PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS FOR BRIDGE ON COUNTY ROAD NO 1533.

The Clerk stated that he had received plans and specifications for the construction of a 45 foot steel truss bridge and approaches thereto on county road No 1533

REPORTS OF PORTUGUESE AID SOCIETY ON CASES REFERRED

The Portuguese Aid Society to which had been referred the applications of Rosa Alves, 969 Twentieth street and C C Nunes, 973 Twenty-fifth street, reported that they were in needy circumstances, and the expense the same were referred to Supervisor Roeth

AID FOR ORPHAN CHILDREN.

The application of Mrs C Reno for the allowance of aid to the amount of $6 for each of six children was read and referred to the Hospital Committee

ROAD NO 2896

Resolution rescinding resolution directing District Attorney to institute proceedings to condemn

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Talcott

"Whereas, The Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda, State of California, in a regular meeting of said Board held in the Hall of Records City of Oakland, County of Alameda, on the 5th day of April, 1897, did by an order of said Board then and there duly made, order that the District Attorney of said County of Alameda proceed at once to institute proceedings to procure the right of way for that certain public highway in Brooklyn Township, County of Alameda State of California, described as follows, to-wit

"Beginning at a point at the westerly terminus of Moshlio avenue and in the center line of said Moshlio avenue said beginning point being on the southeasterly line of lands of Sarah R Yoakum S 50½ degrees W 10 12 chains distant from the most eastern corner of said lands of Sarah R Yoakum and running thence over the lands of said Sarah R. Yoakum N 29¾ degrees W 15 37 chains to the easterly line of Yoakum avenue at a point S. 50¼ degrees W 7 40 chains distant from the most northern corner of the lands of Sarah R Yoakum being the terminus of said road Length of said road 15 37 chains Width of said road 60 feet Area of land taken for said road 1 17 acres

"Across the lands claimed by said Sarah R. Yoakum as provided in Title VII, Part III, of the Code of Civil Procedure of California.

"And Whereas, It appears that said Sarah R. Yoakum is willing to accept the sum of four hundred and ninety-eight dollars, the same being the amount set apart in the Treasury of the County of Alameda out of the proper fund to be paid to the said Sarah R. Yoakum as the award to her for damages for the establishment of said highway across her lands

"Now therefore, by reason of the premises aforesaid, it is ordered that the aforesaid resolution directing the District Attorney to institute proceedings be and the same is hereby rescinded"

The roll was called and the resolution adopted by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Roeth, Wells and Chairman Talcott—5

Roeth, Wells and Chairman Talcott—5

Noes—None

CANCELLATION OF LIQUOR PERMITS

E Gruenhagen and A. D Sherry petitioned the Board to have permits issued cancelled, owing do the Board of Supervisors having lost jurisdiction over the Town of Emeryville on and after Dec. 7, 1896

So ordered by unanimous vote

FREE PEDDLER'S LICENSE

Thomas Sullivan and Geo W Hambleton applied for free license in accordance with provisions of County Government Act

The first named applicant was referred to Supervisor Roeth and the last named to Supervisor Mitchell with power After due consideration the applications were ported on favorably, after which applications were granted and the Clerk directed to notify the Auditor.

ROAD NO. 2896—RESOLUTION ORDERING $150 TO BE PAID TO SARAH R. YOAKUM.

The following resolution was introduced:

"Whereas, J. Tyrrell has heretofore paid into the County Treasury to the credit of the Brooklyn Road-District Fund the sum of $150, to be used in the payment of damages incurred in the opening of proposed road No. 2896.

"And Whereas, It was agreed in open Board, both by said J Tyrrell and Sarah R. Yoakum, that if said sum of $150 is paid sum of $150 be awarded to Sarah R. Yoakum for additional damages on account of proposed road No 2896, and that the sum of $150 be transferred from the Brooklyn Road District Fund to the Road Damage Fund and the Auditor be authorized to draw his warrant favor of Sarah R. Yoakum and out of the Road Damage Fund for the sum of $150, and the Treasurer to pay the same when presented"

The roll was called and the resolution adopted by the following vote

Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Roeth Wells and Chairman Talcott—5.

Noes—None

ABSTRACTS OF MORTGAGES

A communication was received from Chas H Spear, County Recorder, and with it was presented an opinion by the District Attorney relative to the abstracting of mortgages

The opinion the opinion of the District Attorney was read, wherein he stated that assistance could be furnished, and in which he quoted the decision of the Supreme Court in the case of San Luis Obispo v Phelps, 104 Cal, p 67, viz

"If a law is in existence at the time an officer is elected which gives him a certain compensation for performing a certain service, it is in violation of the Constitution to pass a subsequent law under which he is compelled to perform the same services oftener than before for although the gross income of the office may thus be increased in the sense of the Constitution, the rule is the same first and last, fix a certain sum for a certain service, compensation in proportion to duty, the very rule which it was the design of the Constitution to establish"

APPOINTMENT OF CLERK TO TRANSCRIBE ABSTRACT OF MORTGAGES FOR ASSESSOR

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Mitchell

"Resolved, That the County Recorder be and he is hereby allowed an assistant in the transcribing of the abstract of mortgages at a salary of $100 per month and the Board hereby appoints F W James to said position, said appointment to take effect from and after this date"

The roll was called and the resolution adopted by the following vote

Ayes—Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Wells and Chairman Talcott—4

Noes—Supervisor Roeth—1

EXPEDITION OF WORK OF BOARD

A resolution was introduced by Supervisor Wells looking to the systematic and expeditious consideration of the work of the Board Laid over until next meeting

ROOK CRUSHER PIEDMONT AND CLAREMONT ROAD DISTRICTS

A resolution was introduced by Supervisor Roeth providing for the purchase of a rock crusher for use in Piedmont and Claremont Road Districts

After the reading of the resolution Supervisor Roeth moved the adoption of the resolution No second Supervisor Roeth then discussed the resolution and desired that it be paid out of the General Road Fund. No action was taken on the resolution.

PAYMENT OF CLAIM OF COTTON BROS & CO, INFIRMARY RESERVOIR

The following resolution was introduced

"Resolved, That the claim of Cotton Bros & Co, dated April 3 1897, amounting to the sum of $1,985 40, which claim has been duly approved by a majority of the Auditing and Finance Committees, said claim being for furnishing material and labor for and constructing heavy sheet pile bulkhead at the County Infirmary Lake including pile and rod anchorage (180 lineal feet bulkhead at $11 00 per lineal foot) be and the same is hereby allowed and ordered paid out of the County Infirmary Fund, and the Clerk of this Board is hereby directed to notify the Auditor to draw his warrant favor of Cotton Bros & Co, for the amount of said claim of $1 985 40 and out of the County Infirmary Fund, and that the Treasurer pay the same when presented"

The roll was called and the resolution adopted by the following vote,

Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Wells and Chairman Talcott—5.

Noes—Supervisor Roeth—1.

AUTHORITY AND CONTROL OF WEBSTER STREET BRIDGE.

Supervisor Roeth reported that with Supervisor Wells he had called on Superintendent A D Wilder of the S P Co

That the matter of the control of the Webster street drawbridge had been considered That Mr Wilder had referred the matter to J L Frazier, Superintendent of Division

RECEIVING HOSPITAL, ALAMEDA.

District Attorney Snook reported relative to the petition of Joseph Forderer and others for the establishment of a Receiving Hospital in the City of Alameda After quoting from the decisions rendered, etc, he suggested that if the Board in their discretion saw fit to establish a Branch County Hospital for the indigent sick in the City of Alameda permission might be granted said city to use the same for the purpose of receiving parties who are injured, under such terms and regulations as the Board of Supervisors might see fit to impose

Permission was then granted petitioners Forderer and others to withdraw their petition

OBSTRUCTION McNALLY ROAD

The attention of the Board was called to the existence of a gate across road. Rev. J. B McNally protested against its being allowed to remain calling attention to the fact that it was a public road and over travelled by the public and lawfully opened "to public use and enjoyment"

Upon motion duly made, seconded and carried, Road Commissioner Talcott was directed to have gate removed at once

REPORT OF ROAD AND BRIDGE COMMITTEE

Concerning construction of bridge across Arroyo Mocho and directions to Clerk to advertise

The Road and Bridge Committee presented the following report:

"The Road and Bridge Committee desire to report in the matter of the construction of a bridge across the Arroyo Mocho creek in Pleasanton Road District that plans and specifications have been submitted by the County Surveyor which we recommend be adopted by this Board and suggest that the Clerk be directed to advertise for bids for the construction of said bridge in accordance with the plans and specifications, the contract to be let to the lowest responsible bidder

"JOHAS ROETH
"JOHN WITCHELL,
"T. D. WELLS,
"Road and Bridge Committee"

After due consideration, Supervisor Roeth moved that the report of the committee be adopted Seconded by Supervisor Wells

The roll was called and the report adopted by the following vote:

Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Roeth, Wells and Chairman Talcott—5.

Noes—None.

ALLOWANCE OF BILLS.

Supervisor Church moved that rule 4 be suspended and the following bills, which had been favorably reported upon by the Auditing and Finance Committee, be allowed and ordered paid, and that the same be paid to the persons whose names are

Mollie E Conners $15 same, trustee, assignee Peter Delpet $12 A D Pryal, $30, Charles Roeth $59 80, J R. Taylor, assignee J H Taylor $18 50, E. Weidler, assignee J F. Cronin, $114 50

County Infirmary Fund — Anspacher Bros, $87; Geo Beck & Co., $37, $37, D H Burns & Co $78, Cotton Bros & Co, $1,985 40, Heagerty & Co, $27, Joseph Herrscher, $24 50 $24 50 Horncastle Bros, $43, J B Lankfeed, trustee assignee M. Holmes & Co, $2 Martin & Crowe, $5 G L Merrill $19 $12, Poorman & Maxwell, $8 Alfred Py, $4.

Road Damage Fund—Sarah R. Yoakum, $150

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to transact, the Board adjourned to meet April 26, 1897, at 10 A. M.

J R TALCOTT,
Chairman Board of Supervisors.
Attest Frank C Jordan, Clerk.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

DEEDS

TUESDAY, APRIL 13, 1897.

Oakland Bank of Savings to Geo. H. Rowland, S W-5th st 50 E Lewis st E 50 x S 113 being lots 24 and 25 blk G, Bay View Hd, $3,100.

John C Wilson to Agnes Wilson, S 21st or Hobart st 678-6 W Telegraph av S 220 W 37-6 N 222-3 E 37-6 to beg; gift.

Alexander McBean and Jennie V Culver to Albert V Bills, N Brown or 34th st 595 95 W Telegraph av W 42 x N 119-10 being portion lot 22 on map B, map of portion estate A C Brown, $10.

Albert V. Bills to Mary A. Bills, same, $10.

O S and Louise C. Potter to Vesta M Colby, All interest in lots 11 to 18, blk G, lots 10 to 29 blk I, lots 10 to 13 blk U, all of blks V W and X, lots 10 to 21 blk J, lots 13 to 17 blk Q, also that tract of land bounded on the N by S line of lots 12 to 17, 20 and 21 blk J, E by W lines of lots 11 to 17 blk W, S by N lines lots 1 to 8 blk W; W by E line lots 9 to 10 blk M, and lot 20 blk J, also on the W by E terminus of Lily st. All being in the Roberts and Wolfskill tract map 3, grant

Annie W and W. G Duhig to August Denevi, S Minna st 345 1 E Telegraph av E 26 x S 100 being the E ½ lot 24 Linden Hd, $10.

Oakland B. & L Assn to Caroline P. B Story, N Hilgard av 82 547 E Arch st E 40 x N 110 being portion lots 1, 2 and 3 blk 5, corrected may Daley's Scenic Park tract, $10.

Henry W Taylor to Maurice Wurts, lots 36 and 37 blk 6, amended map Central Park, Alcatraz and Newbury stations, QCD, $10

H. C. Morris to Annie A. Mawer, wife W. H, lot 15 blk 10, Warner tract, $10.

Andrew Nielsen to Jos and Bertha Raymond, lot 10 blk 24, same, $10

Same to same, W Olive st 141 S Bay View av S 50 x W 150, being lots 11 blk 24, same; $10

Thos M Quackenbush to Esther E. Swortfiguer, lots 1 to 7, blk 14 of Stratton's survey of Alameda, gift

A .W Kennedy, by sheriff, to Frank A. Gummer, all interest in Railroad av 191-6 W Peru or 16th st W 32 x S 207, being potn blk 25, town of Encinal $1500.

Frank A Gummer to John F. Kennedy, same; $10.

John Stewart, assignee of Wm. Smith (insolvent), to Wm and Mary Lawrence, lots 8 and 9 Lawrence tract Haywards, QCD, $40

John and Sarah S B. Yule to Daniel Best, N Brown st 116-3 E Market E 50 x N 120-3, lot 30 blk L, Central Land Co., subjt to a mtge for $1000, $10.

Francis J and Dell C. Woodward to Ervin S. Chapman, E Filbert 185.17 S W-16th st S 50 x E 125, ptn lots 3, 4, blk 591, Galindo tract, subj to a mtge for $1000; $10.

Christen Larsen to Moritz Silverman, N E-11th st 125 E 26th av E 50 x N 100, lots 18 and 19 blk G Knowles & Potter sub Kennedy tract; $2,600.

Everett B. Babb to same, N E-11th st 150 E 26th av E 25 x N 100, lot 18 blk G, same, $10.

Wm T. Webb to Belle E Webb, E 12th av 150 N E-17th st N 50 x E 150 blk 92, Clinton, gift.

Chas. A. and as executor estate Geo. R Bailey and Alice C Bailey, to Martha G Bailey (und 1-3) Geo. R, Mattie, Cherry and Mary Bailey and Ethel Sheldon, wife G M (und 1-9 each), N Dwight Way 787 07 w from intersection with line between plots 61 and 67 Ro V and D Peralta th SW 462 63 NW 1216 NE 267 67 SE 1215 50 to beg, ptn plot 61 Ro V and D Peralta excepting N Dwight Way 787 07 W from its intersection with line between plots 61 and 67 Ro V and D Peralta, th NW 100 SW to E line California and Nevada R R, th S to N Dwight Way, th E to beg, $1.

Anson S Blake, trustee, to F. W. Bilger and Anson S Blake, S Dwight Way 150 E Dana st E 50 x S 134-6 being lot 5, blk I, Leonard tract, $10.

Andrew and Jane C. Jones to Weston P. Truesdell, lot 18 blk K, map of Andrew Jones sub Bklyn Tp; $10.

L. L M Salsbury to Emelie W. Salsbury, lot 62, Marion tract, lots 1, 2 and 3, blk 26, Warner tract, lot 2 and S ½ of NE ¼ and SE ¼ Sec 1 Tp 5 S, R 3 E, contg 294 92 acres, QCD, $10.

Annie E and T B Draper to Theresa Heron, N Clement av 180 E Willow st E 30 x N 130 blk 15 lands adjct to Encinal, $10.

Chas A and Emma L. Bonesteel to J. T. Bonesteel, lot 6 and so much of lot 5 adjoining lot 6 as fronts 33 feet on Chumalla st and runs back in rectangular form to San Leandro Creek in block 6, E San Leandro, warranty deed; $10.

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COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

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MUTUAL SAVINGS BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO, a corporation,
Plaintiff,
vs.
JOHN T. FLEMING, AGNES LUCRETIA FLEMING,
Defendants.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, on the 23nd day of March, 1897, in the above entitled action, wherein the Mutual Savings Bank of San Francisco, a corporation, the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against John T. Fleming and Agnes Lucretia Fleming defendants, which said decree was, on the 10th day of February, 1897, recorded in Judgment Book 27 of said Court, at page 547, I am commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate lying and being in the City of Alameda, County of Alameda, State of California, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the western line of High street, distant thereon two hundred and eighty-six (286) feet six (6) inches northerly from the northern line of Central avenue, and running thence northerly along the said line of High street fifty-six (56) feet three (3) inches, thence at right angle westerly two hundred and thirty-five (235) feet one (1) inch to the eastern line of Fountain street, thence southerly along the said line of Fountain street fifty-six (56) feet three (3) inches, and thence at a right angle easterly two hundred and thirty-five (235) feet one (1) inch to the place of beginning. Being lots Nos. 6 and 29 in the block marked "A" as the same are delineated and so designated on the plat entitled "Subdivision Map of the Sather & Robinson Tract, Alameda Alameda County, California," filed on September 10th, 1885, in the County Recorder's office of said Alameda County.

Public notice is hereby given that on

MONDAY, THE 26TH DAY OF APRIL, A. D. 1897,

At 1 o'clock P. M. of that day, in front of the Court House door in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell at public auction the above described property, or as much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy plaintiff's judgment, with interest, counsel fees and costs, to the highest bidder, for gold coin of the United States.

Dated March 25, 1897.

D. C. MURPHY,
Commissioner.
FRANK SULLIVAN, Attorney, 128-30 Phelan Building, San Francisco.

Notice to Creditors.

In the matter of the estate of Jacob Roth, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the Estate of Jacob Roth, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator at his office, Room 5, eighth floor, Mills Building, northeast corner of Bush and Montgomery streets, San Francisco, California, which said office the undersigned administrator selects as this place of business in all matters connected with the said Estate of Jacob Roth, deceased

J. B FEEHAN,
Administrator of the Estate of Jacob Roth, deceased.

Dated, March 4, 1897.

I Harris, attorney for Administrator Room 5, eighth floor, Mills Building, San Francisco, Cal.

Notice Inviting Street Work Proposals.—Pursuant to Statute and to Resolution No 22,830 of the Council of the City of Oakland, adopted April 5th, 1897, directing this notice, the undersigned invites and will receive at his office in the City Hall up to 5 o'clock P M., of the 19th day of April, 1897, sealed proposals or bids for the following street work, to be done according to the specifications posted and on file, and contained in Ordinance No. 1252, approved March 4, 1891, to-wit:

That Adeline street in said city, from the northern line of First street to the southern line of Third street, be sidewalked with cement six feet in width to the official line and grade, except where already done in cement or bitumen, said exceptions being more particularly described as follows, to-wit On the western side of said Adeline street from a point 156 20 feet north of the northern line of First street to the southern line of Third street, and on the eastern side of Adeline street from a point 112 81 feet north of the northern line of First street to a point 108 81 feet north of the northern line of First street and from a point 218 15 feet north of the northern line of First street to the southern line of Third street.

Bidders must file with each proposal or bid either a check, payable to the order of the Mayor of said City certified by a responsible bank, for an amount which shall not be less than ten per cent of the aggregate of the proposal, or else a bond for said amount, and so payable, signed by the bidder and by two sureties, who shall justify on oath, to double the said amount, and over and above all statutory exemptions

Office of the City Clerk of the City of Oakland, City Hall, April 13th, 1897.

J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.

Notice of Street Work.—Notice is hereby given, that on the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1897, the City Council of the City of Oakland passed Resolution of Intention No. 22,798, to order the following street work to be done, viz:

That it is the intention of the Council of the City of Oakland to change the grades on Fourth avenue between a point 100 feet southwesterly from East 18th street and the western line of Newton avenue, and to establish the curb grades thereon at the following elevations above city base, to-wit

13 feet both curbs at a point 100 feet southwesterly from East 18th street.

9 feet both curbs at the southwestern and northeastern lines of East 18th street

10.5 feet both curbs at the southwestern line of East 19th street

10 8 feet both curbs at the northeastern line of East 19th street

12 3 feet both curbs at the southwestern line of East 20th street

12 8 feet both curbs at the northeastern line of East 20th street.

13 5 feet both curbs at the western line of Newton avenue.

Said grades to be on straight lines between the points and elevations hereinabove given

The district to be benefited by and to be assessed for said change of grade is herewith described as follows, to-wit:

Being all that land included within the following described boundaries, except such portions as are public streets; beginning at a point on the eastern line of 4th avenue, distant thereon 100 feet southwesterly from East 18th street, thence easterly at right angles to 4th avenue 100 feet; thence northerly and parallel to 4th avenue to the southwestern prolongation of the western line of Newton avenue; thence northerly along said last named line to a point distant 100 feet measured at right angles northerly from 4th avenue; thence southerly and parallel to 4th avenue to a point 100 feet southwesterly from East 18th street, thence easterly 209 1 feet to the point of beginning.

The City Clerk shall certify to the passage of this Resolution and shall cause the same to be published for ten days in the Oakland Tribune, a daily newspaper published and circulated in the City of Oakland, and hereby designated for said purpose, in the manner required by law, in every regular issue of said paper during said period of ten days.

Said Oakland Tribune is the newspaper in which the official proceedings of the City Council are usually printed and published.

The Superintendent of Streets is hereby ordered and directed within five days after the first publication of this Resolution to cause to be conspicuously posted in the manner and form required by law [illegible]

LEGAL.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATRIX'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

Notice is hereby given, that pursuant to an order of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California, duly given and made on the 22nd day of March, 1897, in the matter of the estate of P H McGrew, deceased, authorizing the sale of all the personal and real estate belonging to said estate, the undersigned, Kate H. McGrew, the administratrix of the estate of said P. H. McGrew, deceased, will sell at private sale, on or after the 26th day of April, 1897, to the highest and best bidder, for cash in United States gold coin, subject to and payable on confirmation of sale by said Superior Court, all the right, title and interest of said P H McGrew, deceased, in and to the following described personal and real estate, to-wit:

Certain tools and equipments of a blacksmith shop of said deceased at Nos. 1056, 1058 and 1060 Thirteenth avenue, East Oakland, said Alameda County, the same being engine, boiler, shafting, drilling machinery, punches, shears, blowers, forges, anvils, tire rollers, upsetters, forms and hand tools and stock in trade.

Also all those certain lots pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

1. Commencing at a point distant fifty (50) feet northwesterly from the west corner of block number 39; thence running northeasterly along the southeasterly line of Thirteenth avenue 50 (fifty) feet, thence at right angles southeasterly and parallel with East Eleventh street one hundred (100) feet, thence at right angles southwesterly and parallel with Thirteenth avenue fifty (50) feet, thence at right angles northwesterly and parallel with East Eleventh street one hundred (100) feet to the place of beginning, being the central fifty (50) feet of the original lots numbers 1, 2, 3 and 4 in block number 39 as shown and so delineated upon the Map of Clinton now on file and of record in the Recorder's office of said Alameda County, together with the improvements thereon, consisting of a two story building formerly used as a blacksmith shop.

2 Commencing at a point on the southwestern line of East Sixteenth street distant thereon one hundred and five (105) feet southeasterly from the southeastern line of Thirteenth avenue, and running thence southeasterly along said line of East Sixteenth street forty-five (45) feet, thence at a right angle southwesterly one hundred and fifty (150) feet, thence at a right angle northwesterly forty-five (45) feet; and thence at a right angle northeasterly one hundred and fifty (150) feet to the point of beginning, being lot number 19 and the eastern 20 feet of lot number 20 in block number 65 as per "Higley's Map of the Town of Clinton," now on file and of record in the Recorder's office of Alameda County, California, together with the improvements thereon, consisting of a small three roomed house.

3. Commencing at the point of intersection of the northerly line of East Twentieth street and the easterly line of Sixteenth avenue, running thence northerly along said Sixteenth avenue one hundred and forty (140) feet, thence easterly and parallel with East Twentieth street twenty-five (25) feet thence southerly parallel with Sixteenth avenue 140 (one hundred and forty) feet, thence westerly along the line of East Twentieth street twenty-five (25) feet to the place of beginning, being lot No. 1 in block No. 56 as the same is delineated and so designated on "Freeman's Map of the Town of San Antonio" (now a portion of the City of Oakland), and now on file and of record in the Recorder's office of said Alameda County.

4. Commencing at a point on the easterly line of Fifteenth avenue distant thereon seventy-seven (77) feet northerly from the corner of East Seventeenth street, and running along said line of Fifteenth avenue thirty-three (33) feet; thence easterly parallel with East Seventeenth street one hundred (100) feet; thence northerly parallel with Fifteenth avenue thirty (30) feet to the southerly line of an alley, thence easterly along said alley fifty (50) feet, thence southerly parallel with Fifteenth avenue forty (40) feet; thence westerly parallel with East Seventeenth street fifty (50) feet; thence southerly parallel with Fifteenth avenue twenty-three (23) feet, and thence westerly parallel with East Seventeenth street one hundred (100) feet to the easterly line of Fifteenth avenue and the place of beginning, together with the improvements thereon, consisting of a two story seven room house

5. All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the Township of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, and described as follows, to-wit.

Lots Nos. 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20 and 21 in block "P" as the said lot and block are laid down and so delineated upon that certain map entitled "Map Showing Re-Subdivision of a Portion of the Roberts & Wolfskill Tract, Oakland Township, filed in the office of the County Recorder of Alameda County August 24th, 1889

Said real property will be sold either as a whole or in subdivisions

Bids or offers for said property, or any portion thereof, must be in writing, and will be received and may be left at the law office of A. A Moore, southeast corner of Ninth and Broadway streets (over Union Savings Bank) in the City of Oakland, said Alameda County, or delivered to said administratrix personally, or may be filed in the office of the Clerk of said Superior Court at any time after the first publication of this notice, and before the making of any sale

Dated, April 7th, 1897.

KATE H. McGREW,
Administratrix of estate of P. H. McGrew, deceased.

A. A. MOORE, Attorney for Administratrix.

Resolution of Intention No 22,798.—Resolved, That it is the intention of the Council of the City of Oakland to change the grades on Fourth avenue between a point 100 feet southwesterly from East 18th street and the western line of Newton avenue, and to establish the curb grades thereon at the following elevations above city base, to-wit

13 feet both curbs at a point 100 feet southwesterly from East 18th street.

9 feet both curbs at the southwestern and northeastern lines of East 18th street

10.5 feet both curbs at the southwestern line of East 19th street

10 8 feet both curbs at the northeastern line of East 19th street

12 3 feet both curbs at the southwestern line of East 20th street

12 8 feet both curbs at the northeastern line of East 20th street.

13 5 feet both

SPORTING NEWS

The Advancing Season Has a Favorable Effect on Sports.

ECHOES OF THE BIG FIGHT.

Renewed Interest Is Shown by the Reliance Club.

THE NEW HOME OF THE ACMES.

Aquatic Clubs Getting Ready for the Season's Cruises.

The interesting events of the past week in the sporting world at home and abroad, will be found recorded below:

THE UMPIRE.

Locally speaking, there has not been much to chronicle in the sporting world this week, other than the movements of the club men.

There is much training going on among athletes, however, and promises of interesting events in the near future can be relied upon.

The wheelmen are still actively at work in a variety of ways, though a little recreation in the shape of club runs will be the order before the next big events transpires.

The yachtsmen have unfurled their sails and soon aquatic pastimes will be the caper with the devotees.

Cricket has started, baseball is getting there, the field day events are not far off, while innumerable affairs worthy of attention are soon to take place in the clubs.

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The Acme Club is to be congratulated on its enterprise in securing such an excellent new home. When the building is taken possession of, new life will be instilled into the organization and a largely increased membership will result. There are active workers among the Acmes and credit is due the directors for making such fine quarters a possibility.

With the occupancy of the new home the club expects to be free from debt—or nearly so. Then little by little, new facilities for exercising will be added, while attractive features for social pastime, will be given attention.

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The withdrawal of divisions from the L. A. W. is sweeping the country and California heads the procession by taking the lead. The following from the New Orleans Daily Item of Saturday last, explains the sentiment in regard to the matter there, where already the division has left the parent body:

"It is not, as the cycling journals which are championing the monopolists' side of the question insist upon terming it, a secession movement; it is the revolt of honest and honorable wheelmen against a tyrannical, unjust and wholly unrighteous rule imposed upon them, without their sanction, by a body of self-elected rulers, who through perfidy and all manner of trickery have gained the control of a once honored organization, and are dragging its honor and name with them into their natural or chosen element—the dust of degradation.

"Revolt against the rule of a now sadly degraded organization, that has absolutely no right whatever to exercise any control over their sections (we refer to the vast army of cyclists who are not, and never have been, members of the L. A. W.) and in justice, never has had, but to the control of which they have submitted in the past, as much because of the fact that they were not strong enough to hope for success in an attempt to free themselves, as that, conditions being different, and those in control being honest, honorable men, the rule was not altogether unsatisfactory at that time.

"The wheelmen can and will form an organization through which they will maintain and promote their sport and of which they will not have any occasion to be ashamed, and at which the finger of scorn cannot be pointed. The L. A. W., because of its age, and, at one time, superiority, has enjoyed wonderful prestige, but it can not long survive the stigma that has been cast upon it by the recently exposed corruption in its politics, and the contaminating influences of the control of those who by force of superior numbers have been for years able to sway the greatest power.

"Unless some heroic measures are adopted, the L. A. W. is doomed. Already the boasts of its mighty power are but hollow mockery, for despite the inflated reports from various sections of renewed membership and increase in applications, it is on the wane.

"Under the proposed new state of affairs, instead of the divisions being governed directly from the national body, as is the case with the L. A. W., State boards of control will be elected by the cyclists of the division, and the power to grant sanctions, investigate charges preferred against wheelmen, make suspensions and reinstatements, impose fines, and, in fact, to control the division entirely, will be vested in them. In the event of an offense calling for expulsion, a disputed election, or other matters of great importance, the national racing board will be referred to as a supreme court.

"These State boards, to which all affairs of the division will be referred for adjustment, will be composed of the chief consul, vice-consul, secretary, treasurer and four others, to be elected by the wheelmen of the division. By this arrangement, those whose duty it will be to investigate and pass judgment upon matters referred to them, will be right in the field and can make personal investigation, interview complainants and offenders, etc., at once, without the very unpleasant and equally unjust suspension pending investigation, and will be better enabled to obtain the exact facts in every case."

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The St. Paul Dispatch of the same date, takes a different view of the matter. It says:

"The members of the League of American Wheelmen do not attach much importance to the United Wheelmen of America, the new Western organization. They say that the old organization covers the field, and that the U. W.'s have no particular excuse for living, only as protesters against the legitimate acts of the parent body.

"It seems that the United Wheelmen, what few of them there are, have taken umbrage against the L. A. W. because of the latter's well known opposition to Sunday racing. Looking at the matter from a common sense standpoint, it would seem as if the L. A. W. had both right and morals on its side. There is no question that the bulk of public sentiment is opposed to Sunday racing, and that any opposition to the L. A. W. in this behalf is a kick against the manifest will of the people.

"However, the United Wheelmen have launched their bark, and its voyage will be watched with curiosity by wheelmen generally."

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The following from the Chicago Record of last Saturday relative to Fitzsimmons re-appearance in the "bigfoot" city is of considerable interest:

"Robert Fitzsimmons showed 4,000 of the faithful last night how he 'did it.' The exhibition was a gentle, pneumatic-glove affair, in accordance with the city ordinances and the presence of a squad of policemen from central detail. But for the crowd, who took off their hats to the pine boards he stood on, it was as good as if he had passed money around.

"During the fifteen stanza of the shouting the cries for a speech became clear, and Julian had no objections to the following talk which the champion gave with a hearty voice:

"'I suppose you want to know something about the last contest. All I have to say is that I went in to win, and did win. I won fairly and squarely. There had been some rumors that I was going to throw the fight and let Corbett win. This was not so. After I defeated that 'stiff,' Sharkey, I was offered $500,000 to let Mr. Corbett defeat me. I refused it. I was also offered $250,000 by a well-known banker in New York city. I refused that. I thought more of my future than I did of their millions.

"'I would like to say, too, that I was the only one to wear the stars and stripes on my loins in the fight. I will always wear them there. But what I intend to do now is to let others fight they way to the pinnacle, which I have resigned. I wish you the same prosperity which I hope to get myself.'"

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The following dispatch from Kansas City shows a wonderful development in the science of electricity. Whether its author is sane or not is another question:

"Prof. Lucien J. Blake of Kansas University has a new theory as to the secret of Champion Fitzsimmons' victory at Carson. He says the fighter was 'galvanized' when he met Corbett. He asserts that athletes can and have been filled with electricity and thereby been made invincible. Fitzsimmons, according to his idea, was charged with artificial life, and on that account did not succumb to the shower of blows rained on him by Corbett."

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A sporting exchange has the following to say:

"'One-Eyed' Connolly is still alive. Some one has heard from the character who has attained some notoriety at every big prize fight. At Carson City he went to jail for making an address from the press table. He was released by the magistrate upon offering the excuse that he had all checks down on the guy who licked his friend, John L.'

"When last heard of he was sighted twenty miles off 'Frisco. He is making his way to Chicago by a round-about way, and hopes to shake hands with Clarke street acquaintances by Independence Day, July 4th."

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Peter Jackson has written to a friend at San Francisco to know if finish contests are likely to continue at Nevada. If so, Jackson writes, he will soon leave England for 'Frisco and try to get something to do there in a fistic way.

Tom Sharkey and Jim Williams, champion of Utah, fought eight rounds before 1,500 persons at the Salt Lake A. C. last Monday night. There was no decision, but the sailor had all the better of it. Lynch, Sharkey's manager, announced that he would back Williams for $5,000 against any 154-pound man in the world, Creedon preferred.

Dan Creedon says that in the future he will not go out of his class and fight heavyweights unless he really thinks he can win by giving away weight. Creedon wants to win the middleweight championship, and believes that the only man he has to beat, outside of Fitzsimmons, to gain it, is Kid McCoy. Creedon is anxiously awaiting the arrival of McCoy from the other side.

John L. Sullivan promises to "shove his fist through Julian's face," because Julian called him a "has-been."

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The lot of the German lady cyclist is not a happy one. Before she can ride in the streets she has to give an exhibition of her skill, and prove her ability to the satisfaction of the police authorities. Having passed the test, she is served with an official document which declares her to be the rightful owner of the bicycle. This document must be carried with her whenever she goes out riding, and produced when called upon by the police. No wonder German girls prefer any recreation to cycling.

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A syndicate has been formed in Colorado to lay out a 1,000-mile bicycle tourists' circuit through the most picturesque scenery in the State. The plan includes the building of cabins about twenty-five miles apart and hotels seventy-five miles apart.

THE UMPIRE.

AT THE RELIANCE CLUB.

Progress Is Reported in Every Branch of the Organization.

The newly organized camera annex at the Reliance Club gave its first "ladies' night" Wednesday evening. To say it was a success in every particular is putting it mildly. The large gymnasium was packed, both the lower floor and gallery, with the lady friends of the club members, who are always glad to visit the club on these occasions. During the summer months the annex expects to give evenings once a month, varying the programme with music, lantern exhibits and so forth.

The dark rooms and lockers have been fitted up and everything is in readiness for those interested in camera work, and a great deal of interest is being shown in the use of the camera and development of pictures.

Thursday evening the club gave the best boxing tournament the members have witnessed during the winter. Hennessy and McCormick put up one of the best exhibitions of science and gameness ever witnessed in the gymnasium. Both being hard hitters, clever boxers and very evenly matched, the bout was one of those that sets an audience wild. McCormick was declared the winner after eight stubbornly fought rounds. The other contests were also interesting ones.

The club proposes to give the boxing entertainments regularly every month during the spring and as they are attracting more attention among the boxers and exciting more enthusiasm among the club members, better entertainments will be arranged each succeeding month. The club has established a reputation among the boxing element for its uniform, impartial decision and fair treatment, so the better class of fighters are anxious to contest under its auspices.

Thursday evening the regular annual election of officers will take place at the club rooms.

Reports of the president, secretary and treasurer will be read and a general rehearsal of the year's work will be heard.

Club enthusiasm in general is increasing every day, while every branch and annex is trying to outdo the other.

The base ball team has been organized. It succeeded in winning its first game from the Calliopeons, a strong amateur team of San Francisco, which had won twenty-one out of twenty-five games.

Today the Reliance team will play the U. C. team on the Berkeley campus.

A game has been arranged with the Australian team for Saturday, April 24th.

THE ACTIVE ACMES.

Great Things Are Anticipated When the New Home Is Finished.

It is expected that the new quarters of the Acme Athletic Club will be ready for occupancy by May 15th. The gymnasium is already practically finished and the work on the second floor is being rushed as rapidly as possible.

The special features of the new building are the swimming tank, steam rooms and the gymnasium. The tank dimensions are twenty by forty-five feet and will range in depth from four to eight feet. It will be constantly supplied with a stream of clear fresh water.

The steam room will adjoin the swimming tank and will be complete in all its details.

Special attention has been paid to the arrangement of the gymnasium, which will occupy the entire third floor, 70x100 feet, and will be thirty-five feet high. It will be equipped with the latest improved devices for exercising. In one end of the gymnasium, the hand ball court has been placed at an elevation of ten feet above the floor proper. It will be full regulation size, will be provided with a gallery for spectators and will be second to no court on the coast.

The Acme Club has many superior hand-ball players and it is expected that the court will be always in use when the club is finally settled in the new rooms.

The billiard rooms will be equipped with entirely new and handsome billiard and pool tables, with the latest improved cushions and are now being manufactured especially for the Acme Club by the Brunswick-Balke-Calendar Company.

The best room in the building has been reserved for the reading room and library, where all the newspapers current magazines, periodicals, Congressional reports will be on file.

The finances of the club are in better shape than they have ever been at any previous time, and the directors are confident that by the 15th of May nearly if not all of the old liabilities will have been liquidated.

Arrangements are being perfected by the directors for a grand opening night, announcements of which will be made later.

The wheelmen are arranging for a series of club runs for the coming season under the direction of Captain Revalk. The first run will be called for Sunday, April 25th, and will probably be to Pleasanton.

Among the Acme entries for the Velodrome races for the first Sunday in May, under the auspices of the new State organization, will be Squires, Crafts and Wyman, all of whom are at present riding in great form.

The wheelmen will enjoy a club run to San Rafael next Sunday and on the following Sunday will take a trip to Pleasanton.

UNIVERSITY ATHLETES.

The Coming Field Day Is the Chief Event of Importance.

A try-out field day is being held by the Berkeley athletes this afternoon to determine finally the entries and positions of the various members of the team. The boys were laid off from training yesterday for a rest before the sharp work of today. Only five more training days remain. Work will be done on the track Thursday and Friday of this week, and Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week. The following Thursday and Friday will be days of rest.

Tom Carroll has taken charge of Carver, Dorn, Hooper, Lloyd, Cheek and Goodale in the hammer throw and shot-put, and is giving valuable aid, especially in the hammer throw. Humphreys has now completely recovered from his rheumatism, and will be in the pink of condition for his quarter-mile race in the field day.

Hoffman has gotten over the sprained muscle in his leg, and is doing some of his best work. Dozier is not yet doing any jumping, and will probably not do any until the field day. His knee is rapidly improving, and he is doing some running on the track. The other men on the team are already in excellent condition, and Trainer Lean is exercising the utmost vigilance to prevent staleness. Both Dawson and Miller have made a wonderful improvement in the low hurdles.

The Berkeley boys are determined to continue the fight for having second place at the Velodrome on account of stead of having it changed to two points. They are equally determined to have the two-mile bicycle race take place a tthe Velodrome on account of the greater safety, speed, and fairness. Besides these contested points, the admission fee and the order of events were disputed. A compromise will probably be patched up from these four disputed questions.

AQUATIC SPORTS.

The Yacht Clubs Are Preparing for an Active Season.

The monthly meeting of the Alameda Boating Club was held last night, when delegates to the annual convention of the Pacific Coast Association were elected.

The Alameda Club will hold a regatta on April 25th, at which there will be no less than twelve entries in the junior class.

Next Saturday will be the opening day of the California Yacht Club. In the evening it will entertain visiting yachtsmen and Sunday will go on a cruise.

The opening day of the Pacific Yacht Club has been set for May 15th, at which time the club will give one of its old-time spreads.

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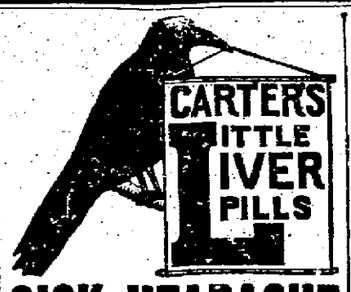

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THE LAST FAREWELL.

Acme Club Members Give a Final Smoker in the Old Quarters.

A smoker was given at the Acme Club rooms last evening to celebrate the departure from the old quarters.

Some 250 of its members were present to do honor to the occasion, and an informal programme was rendered. Teddy Cotton executed some really wonderful feats on the triple horizontal bars and his work showed great improvement. The tumbling of Stegman, McNally and Toohig was as it always is, clear cut and artistic, the ease and grace with which they turn the most difficult double somersaults placing them far ahead of the average amateur.

Conlan and Turner did a brilliant act on the double trapeze and the evening's entertainment concluded with a boxing bout between Lawton and Simpson.

Alameda Tennis.

The University Academy Tennis Club of Alameda held a very interesting tournament Saturday. The scores were as follows:

Kinley and Miss Fergusson vs. Leonard and Miss Livingston, 6-0 and 6-0.

Anderson and Miss Hicks vs. Levens and Miss Reynolds, 6-4 and 6-1.

Chace and Miss Fossing vs. Haskell and Miss Franks, 6-1 and 6-2.

Baxter and Miss Pennoyer vs. Chase and Miss Fossing, 6-0 and 6-2.

Anderson and Miss Hicks vs. Kinley and Miss Fergusson, 6-1 and 4-6.

Baxter and Miss Pennoyer vs. Anderson and Miss Hicks, 6-3, 6-2 and 6-3.

Will Fete Reliance Cyclers.

The Reliance wheelmen are to be the guests of the Garden City Cyclers shortly, when the latter open their season with a club run and barbecue. Unless the Oakland riders have some favored spot, the scene of the feast will be at Blackberry Farm, near San Jose. The date has not yet been settled, but it will be some time this month.

Piedmonts Defeated.

The ball club of the Sacred Heart School and the Piedmont School nine played a spirited game Saturday, resulting in a victory for the former by a score of 4 to 10.

The Sacred Heart School club wants to meet all comers under 14 years of age.

At the Wickets.

The cricket season was opened Sunday at the Webster street grounds in Alameda, when a game was played between the Encinal City Club and the Golden Gate team. The score resulted 80 to 53 in favor of Alameda.

Oakland Loses Again.

The Oakland Ball Club fell before the Santa Cruz nine Sunday in the watery city by the seashore. Nolan and Peters for Oakland did good work and heavy batting. The score was 9 to 4.

Are You Thin?

WHO SUFFER most from sleeplessness, nervousness, neuralgia, despondency, general weakness? Who are on the edge of nervous prostration all the time? Those who are thin. Iron and bitters are only stimulants. To be cured you need a fat-making food. You want new blood, rich blood; and a strong nerve-tonic.

RELIC OF THE BIG FAIR.

Damages Sought for French Goods Destroyed by Fire.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, April 14.—Judge Grosscup, of the United States District Court is engaged in the final hearing of the suits of the French Government and of several exhibitors at the world's fair, brought for damages to goods to exhibitors, by reason of the fire of January 8, 1894, which destroyed the Casino, Peristyle and Music Hall and burned the roof of the Manufacturer's Building.

Juries had been waived and counsel for both sides were willing to let Judge Grosscup be both judge and jury. The suits ask for damages in the amount of $87,856. The Exposition Company bases its refusal to pay damages upon its rules and the slowness of the French exhibitors in packing their goods.

Further claim is made that the value attached to the damaged goods is far in excess of that given to the custom house when the goods were entered for the exposition.

George R. Davis, director general of the fair; Edmund Bruwaert, consul general of France to the United States, and who was in direct supervision over the French exhibit; Fire Marshal J. A. Carnes and Assistant Fire Marshal J. L. Kenyon, in charge of the exposition department at the time of the fire and F. J. Beardsley, foreman of the water pipe department at the fair, are among the witnesses.

Peace for Durrant.

From this time until Durrant shall make his last appearance, on the gallows, there is one thing for which all newspaper readers will be thankful. We shall have surcease of the columns of feminine-written rot and twaddle about the condemned man. He has made a special request that no one be permitted to see him except his father and mother, and the unsexed female reporters will have no further opportunity to write about him except through the medium of their imaginations, which in the past it must be confessed have been their chief source of inspiration, since it would have been absolutely impossible for them to have seen one-tenth of what they have stated as fact.—Alameda Encinal.

Church Election.

The First Presbyterian Church will hold its annual meeting and election of

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THE TYRANT KRUGER

A Picture of the Leader of the Transvaal by H. A. Butters.

IGNORANT, BUT VERY CRAFTY.

Defense of the Uitlanders in the Johannesburg Trouble.

TRADE PROSPECTS IN AFRICA.

A Most Interesting Lecture on a Very Important Subject.

The character of the Transvaal Boer was painted blacker than the skin of the Kaffir by Henry A. Butters last evening during his lecture on South Africa, in behalf of the Vincentian Society in St. Francis de Sales Hall. The Boer, he declared, was without ambition, was greedy, stubborn, tyrranical, treacherous and brutal. "The average Boer," the speaker said, "is ignorant and prejudicial. He has read nothing but the bible and many of them are unable to read at all. For such a people to meet with an intelligent class of foreigners is like meeting of flint and steel; they can no more harmonize than oil and water. The agency which will ever neutralize the conflict is power, and the government of the Boers is doomed. Its methods are primitive and its laws unjust. Its policy is an impossible one."

Mr. Butters corrected some impressions which he feared the American people held in regard to the recent uprising at Johannesburg. Americans were inclined to believe that foreigners had no right to go there and object to the laws. The foreigners were generally believed to be a transient class of people who went to South Africa to make money and who would leave as soon as it was made. This was not true. Many of the Uitlanders had made permanent homes there. "Mr. Phillips, chairman of the Reform Committee," he said, "has a home which cost $200,000, and this would be satisfactory evidence to any one but a Boer of permanent residence. The laws which are extremely irksome to Americans and Englishmen in the Transvaal were enacted after the Uitlanders had begun to improve the country. They are enacted not for them but at them. They pay nineteen-twentieths of the taxes and are deprived of representation.

CONDUCTING ELECTIONS.

The speaker gave an interesting account of the manner of conducting elections in the Transvaal. The elections occur in only one place at a time. President Kruger or his satellites attend each election and see to it that they result satisfactorily.

"The financial methods of the Boer government are simple but effective. To illustrate, 300,000 cases of dynamite are needed every year for mining purposes, and the normal price would be $12 a case; but dynamite is made a government monopoly, and the price is raised to $25 and $27. In various ways Johannesburg is made to yield up $10,000,000 a year to the government.

"The government of the Transvaal is centralized at Pretoria. The Uitlanders are given certain restricted municipal rights and that is all. English is prohibited in the public schools by order of the government. There is a strict press censorship and no article criticizing the government is allowed."

Mr. Butters gave a graphical description of the result of the Jameson raid. Kruger's treachery and double dealing was plainly shown.

"He had promised the Uitlanders," said Mr. Butters, "he would consider their grievances if they would declare then Jameson commenced his invasion against the protest of the Uitlanders. Kruger turned his attention to Jameson, knowing the committee in Johannesburg would keep its word and preserve order. After Jameson's capture, the Uitlanders were told that all of the captives would be slaughtered in prison unless they (the Uitlanders) gave up their arms, and they were given up."

KRUGER'S DUPLICITY.

No sooner were the Reformers at the mercy of Kruger than he ordered them thrown into prison. They were thrust into cells nine by seven feet, three or four men occupying one cell. These cells were inexpressibly dirty. Mattresses, soiled and filthy, which had been used by previous prisoners, many of whom had died of smallpox, dysentery and other loathsome diseases, were provided for the Reformers. Prison pap was their only food.

After three weeks of confinement the sixty-five men were released on bail and told to go to Pretoria where if they pleaded guilty, they would be released on the payment of a nominal fine of three pounds and ten shillings.

Then President Kruger proved his treachery. When the men were brought in for judgment the crowded court room was cleared of the women who had crowded in. A strong armed guard was placed around the prisoners. A judge, a stranger from an adjoining town, presided benignly over the proceedings. The horror of the prisoners cannot be described as they heard the judge call for the grucsome black cap. The five leaders were sentenced to death and sixty others to two years imprisonment, to be followed by the payment of a large fine and two years exile. Ultimately, as everyone knows, Kruger countermanded this order and the five were let off upon paying $125,000 each and the others $10,000.

A GRAND STAND PLAY.

Mr. Butters characterized this move on Kruger's part as a play upon the sympathies of the world at large. Frightened at the storm he had raised by the death sentence, Kruger exercised clemency in order to receive commendation for his tender heartedness. It was a grand stand play for public approval.

Kruger's recent attempts to implicate the English Government in Jameson's raid were designed for the purpose of throwing the odium of his own misdeeds on another. The English Government was not in any way connected with the uprising. The Boers had frequently and insultingly told the Uitlanders if they wanted redress for their wrongs they would find it in arms alone. Power was the only force they respected.

Kruger's character was analyzed.

A PICTURE OF KRUGER.

"Old Oom Paul, or Uncle Paul, as Kruger is called, is a man of great physical strength and supreme physical courage. He is totally uneducated. Although the head of a Government of but a small country, he draws a salary of $40,000 a year, with an allowance of $1,500 for 'coffee money.' He grew up a rough child of nature, but he knows personally every Boer in the land, and until recently he was revered by them; now some of them revile him. It is believed he has profited by the corrupt practices of the men around him. There is no republic in the Transvaal, but only a government of the Boers by Kruger for the benefit of Kruger and his satellites."

Mr. Butters' account of South African mines was most interesting, and was illustrated by excellent views. The natives, the Zulus and other tribes were shown in all their barbarism. The primitive mode of travelling and the many annoyances that merchants and others were forced to meet were lightly touched upon.

In conclusion, Mr. Butters spoke of the opportunities for making money in South Africa. It is a country which confidence, capital and science has developed. For the unskilled laborer there was no opening. For the mechanic the chances were better. Clerkships had been overrun with applicants. There had been overrun with applicants. There were good openings for farmers, as prices for farm commodities were high and the land fertile.

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AT THE PLAY-HOUSES.

Otis Skinner in His New Play for the Macdonough Monday.

Otis Skinner's energy, combined with his ability as an actor, gives much promise that in his work the American stage will eventually have an actor-manager who will be compared favorably with the actors who have distinguished themselves in this respect abroad. Though this is only his third stellar year, he has produced, since his debut as a star, three new romantic plays by American authors, one new adaptation of a French classic drama, has revived five Shakespearean plays, and one by Bulwer Lytton. Mr. Skinner is evidently not a dreamer, but a worker. The latest and most successful of his new productions is "A Soldier of Fortune," from his own pen. It has met with favor throughout his entire tour, having been one of the dramatic successes of the present season. Mr. Skinner will open in "A Soldier of Fortune" during his coming engagement in this city, on Monday evening, April 19th, to be followed by "Romeo and Juliet" on Tuesday and concluding the engagement on Wednesday evening with a grand production of "Hamlet."

THE OAKLAND.

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